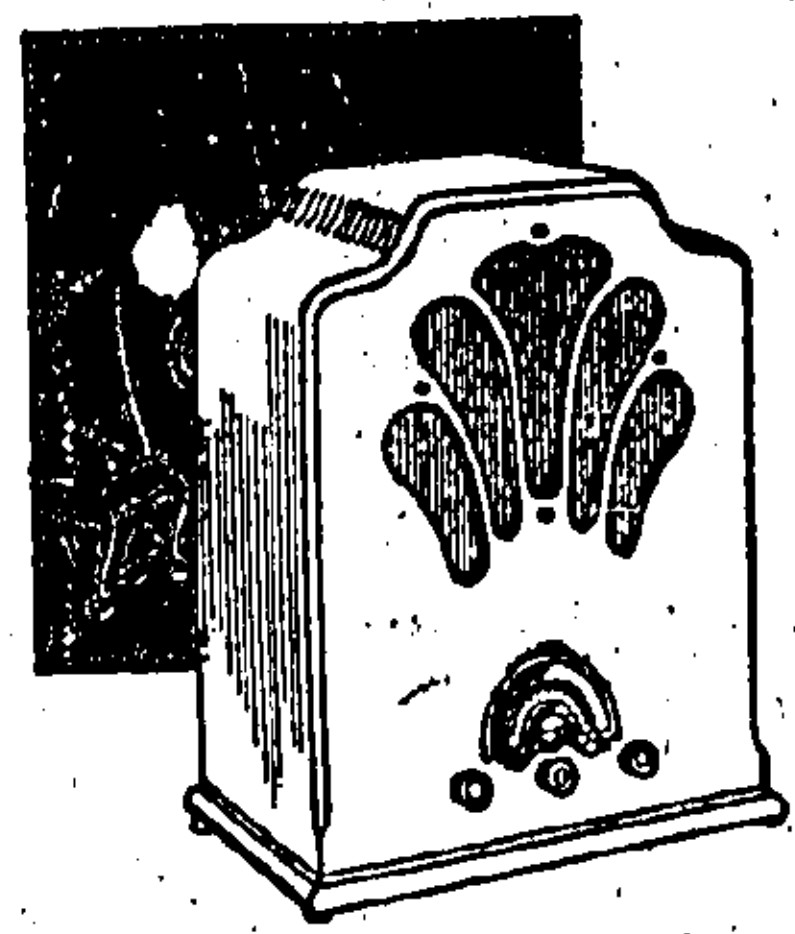




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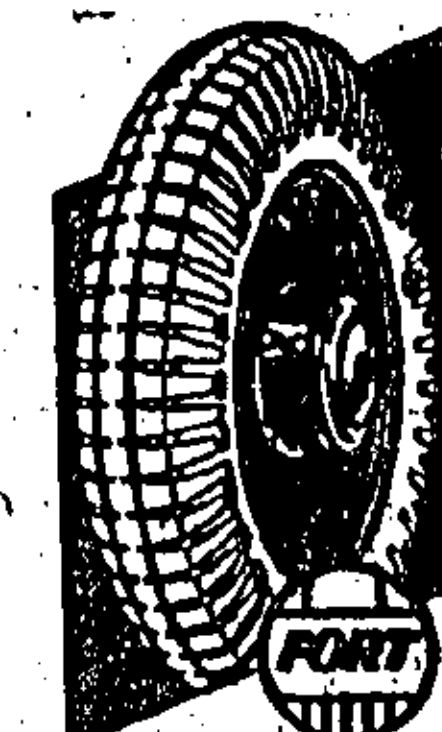
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ROOSEVELT CONCEDED VICTOR IN U.S. PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

CHANCELLOR CONDEMNS BIMETALISM

**Banks Won't Accept
Silver For Gold.
NO HELP FROM ASIA.**

London, To-day.

The House of Commons yesterday adopted without division the Labour motion expressing Parliament's concern with the present volume of unemployment and welcoming all measures dealing therewith.

The debate was noteworthy for the long statement of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, rebutting arguments in favour of bimetalism and stressing that supplies of silver are inadequate and that the central banks certainly would not agree to accept a certain proportion of silver at a fixed ratio to gold.

In the final speech in the unemployment debate in the House of Commons, Mr. Chamberlain replied to the address of Sir Robert Horne, in which the latter suggested that wholesale commodity prices might be effected either by restricting supplies of commodities or alteration in the amount of monetary gold available as being the standard whereby a fair value was measured. Sir Robert Horne suggested that as there was a deficiency of gold due to much of it being sterilised in the reserve of particular countries, Britain should supplement the supply of gold by bringing silver into account, adding that a rise in the price of silver would very much improve British trade with India and China.

Mr. Chamberlain saw difficulties in accepting the theory that the rise in the price of silver would increase trade with India and China, and said that while China had a silver currency, India had not, therefore, as far as India was concerned, the theory must be based on the assumption that the rise in the value of the hoards of silver in India would enable India to do a larger trade with other countries. A large portion of the hoards of India was not in a monetary form, but in the form of ornaments, bracelets, etc. In the past India had steadily increased those hoards, though she had never used them as a means of purchasing goods, but for establishing social status. An examination of the variations in the price of silver during recent years, had not yielded any evidence in figures on Indian imports that she had utilised her silver hoards when the price of silver rose to buy more goods from other countries.

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ANGLO-SWEDISH TRADE.

Delegates In London.

London, To-day.

The Swedish Minister, Baron Palmstierna, yesterday introduced to the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. W. Runciman, Messrs. Sohlman Sahlin and Allard, members of the Swedish Delegation who have arrived in London in advance of the full delegations for preliminary discussions on Anglo-Swedish commercial relations.

Statements showing Swedish and British points of view were exchanged and are being exchanged.—British Wireless Service.



This year's American Presidential election campaign was marked by bitter charges by both candidates and a sensation was caused when thousands booed President Hoover. The photograph shows a rioter being ejected by New York Police from a political meeting in Times Square.

NATIONAL GOLD HOARDS PREVENT TRADE REVIVAL

**Former Chancellor Calm
Over Pound's Fall.**

ASKS AID FOR CUNARD.

London, To-day.

When the three-day non-party House of Commons debate on the unemployment question entered its concluding stage yesterday, Sir Robert Horne, one-time Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, observed that a great service would be rendered to trade, industry and commerce of the world if international exchanges were put right. While there was a vast amount of gold in the world, nearly three quarters of it was in the hands of two countries and others were denied of the necessary supply. The problem was certainly one of the great factors of the present economic situation.

Referring to the position of the pound, Sir Robert pointed out that sterling prices to-day were practically at the same level as when Britain went off the gold standard and that the pound now purchased more in commodities than it did five years ago. This was sufficient evidence that no one need be perturbed about the fall in the sterling.

He expressed a view that if silver was once more put in an appropriate position in relation to the monetary systems of the world, industry and trade would benefit more than they would from any other single device.

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SHIP SEIZED TO CARRY TROOPS.

**Communist Threat
At Amoy.**

Shanghai, To-day.

The "China Press" states that a stumbling block in the plans to rebuild the North Station, destroyed in the recent Sino-Japanese hostilities, is threatened by a request by the China-British Corporation, who are creditors of the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, to the Ministry of Railways, for payment of outstanding debts totalling \$12,800,000.

The Ministry of Railways intended to devote \$10,000,000 to the construction of the new station, the site of which had already been chosen at Chenju.—Reuter.

COMMONS APPROVES NEW DUTIES AGAINST IRISH.

**No Steps Yet Taken To Name
New Governor.**

The House of Commons by a vote of 250 to 38, approved the new Customs Duties against the Irish Free State, Mr. J. H. Thomas explaining the increase was impossible on November 9, due to the fact that receipts up to now showed conclusively that England was unlikely to collect the amount owing her in hand amission.

Questioned in the House of Commons as to the appointment of a new Governor-General of the Irish Free State, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said that whilst he had no statement to make at the moment, the House was aware that provision for the appointment of a Governor-General was made in the Anglo-Irish Treaty and was indeed an integral part of it.—British Wireless Service and Reuter.

NORTH STATION PLAN BALKED.

**Creditors Claim Funds
Meant For Building.**

Shanghai, To-day.

According to the "North China Daily News", the National Government has commandeered nine ships in order to transport troops to Amoy to participate in the campaign against the Communists. The ships commandeered include vessels belonging to the San Peh Company and the China Merchants.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

ROOSEVELT LEADING IN 38 STATES.

New York, To-day.

A Democratic landslide was evidenced by the fact that at 4.30 a.m. to-day, Governor Roosevelt was leading in thirty-eight states, carrying 434 electoral votes, while President Hoover was ahead in only six states, with 70 votes.

At Palo Alto, California, President Hoover has prepared a message congratulating Governor Roosevelt on his victory.—Reuter.

HOOVER ADMITS HIS CAUSE IS LOST FINAL RETURNS WILL SHOW BIG MARGIN

DEMOCRAT LANDSLIDE

NEW YORK, TO-DAY.

PRESIDENT-ELECT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, HAS LED THE CAMPAIGN FORCES OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY TO ITS FIRST PRESIDENTIAL VICTORY IN MORE THAN A DECADE, AND WITH THE SOUTHERN STATES SOLIDLY BEHIND HIM, HAS POLLED WHAT WILL PROBABLY PROVE TO BE A "LANDSLIDE" VOTE.

Comparatively early in the count Republicans recognised that defeat was imminent. The huge majority the Democrats polled in the State of New York was in itself significant. The "solid South," the wayward West, and the split votes of the seaboard territories, decided the issue. The Democrats gained in the Republican camps and retained their own "traditional" bailiwicks.

The assistance campaign manager of the Republican Eastern field was the first to admit defeat. Within a few minutes of his announcement, the Republican "Herald Tribune" of New York City was screaming its extras on the street, announcing that President Hoover was "snowed under."



The late President Theodore Roosevelt. Governor Roosevelt is a distant relative.

From his watching place in California, President Hoover, weary of warfare, conceded the way to the Democrats finally, with word of the overwhelming losses in the South at hand and his rival certain of more than half of the votes of the Electoral College.

Just before Mr. Hoover conceded the victory, an official forecast said: If the trend of the present incomplete returns continues, Governor Roosevelt should secure 303 Electoral College votes and President Hoover 114. A total of 266 votes are sufficient for election. The states from which returns are not yet available have 114 Electoral College votes among them.

The despatches from all over the country, pouring in to the New York headquarters of the two major parties, kept the city in a fever of excitement. There was no sleep for thousands of men and women last night. Apart from those who counted and who worked in the headquarters of the parties, there were many thousands more who packed the streets, the cabarets and restaurants, listening to the persistently broadcast returns from half a dozen radio stations.

Unofficial and fragmentary returns show Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt leading in seven seats, having 93 electoral votes. President Herbert Hoover is (Continued on Page 12.)

Herriot Denies His Visit to Spain Carries Any Political Significance

Madrid, Nov. 8.

The visit of Premier Herriot of France to Spain was hailed today by a group of outstanding Spanish leaders as strengthening the ties between the two countries, but the premier himself denied any political significance beyond a gesture of friendship was involved.

Annoyed by the wide publication of rumours regarding his visit, Herriot complained to newspaper correspondents that other countries were unjust to France and her position toward Europe and the rest of the world. The premier named no country but protested against misunderstanding of his visit abroad while France was trying to sponsor a disarmament plan of benefit to the entire world. When a correspondent mentioned the reports that there were reasons of political importance for his visit, Herriot showed his displeasure and said: "You have my word of honour. That should be sufficient."

The group who voiced pleasure at Herriot's visit as an aid to strong-



Governor Roosevelt.

BRITAIN WILL PROTECT HER AIR PROGRESS

**Premier Promises To
Guard Future.**

DESPITE ARMS REDUCTION.

London, To-day.

In the House of Commons yesterday Lord Apsley asked the Prime Minister (Mr. Ramsay MacDonald), whether, before any decision was reached regarding the extent to which the British Government could agree with the French disarmament proposals, and particularly with those on the international control of civil aviation, he would ensure that such an agreement would in no way prevent the future development of British Civil Aviation, either of a private nature or on the existing and proposed Empire routes to India, South Africa, Australia and Canada, respectively.

The Prime Minister replied, that he had not yet received the new French disarmament proposals, but the Government in the United Kingdom would certainly bear in mind the importance of providing fully for the future of the British Civil Aviation and the development of the Imperial Air Communications.

Replying to a supplementary question regarding private flying, the Premier said he could not enter into any details that might arise in the course of negotiations, but the House might take his answer as one that was going to guide the Government in their general policy.

Asked whether disavowal of civil flying altogether from the armed forces of the crown was being considered, the Premier said that that was naturally one of the questions which must arise.—British Wireless Service.

BLUE FUNNEL LINER FOUND STILL AFLOAT

**Phemius Was Reported
Lost In Hurricane.**

S.S. KILLERIG TO RESCUE.

Colon, To-day.

The Blue Funnel liner Phemius, which was variously reported to be seriously damaged and, later, missing in a hurricane in the Caribbean Sea, has been sighted off the Nicaraguan Coast, and is safe. The British steamer Killerig is hastening to render assistance.

Colon, Earlier.

Grave fears were felt for the safety of the Phemius Hong Kong-bound from New York, carrying a crew of 16 British and 60 Chinese men, which was reported sunk; according to a message received at Liverpool from Colon, near the Panama Canal.

Three U.S. Navy vessels and a submarine searched in vain for the disabled vessel, which was last reported to be helpless in heavy weather, 250 miles north of Colon. Her propeller was broken and her steering gear was disabled. Her holds quickly filled with water when she was struck by the hurricane on Sunday.

The ship, which is engaged on the New York-Hong Kong service, left New York on October 22 and was scheduled to arrive here on December 9. She is a vessel of 7,615 gross tons, with a net tonnage of 4,165 tons, and was built and owned by Scott's of Greenock for the Ocean Steamship Co. Ltd., in 1921. The master of the ship is Captain D. C. L. Evans.

De Valera's Warning

Dublin, To-day.

A sensation was caused in political circles by a speech made by Mr. Eamon De Valera at the Fianna Fail Convention where he warned the I.R.A. and other organisation that anyone found in possession of arms would be proceeded against with the full vigour of the law.

This is regarded as a direct challenge to the I.R.A.—Reuter.

H.M.S. QUEEN ELIZABETH RETURNS.

London, To-day.

The battleship, Queen Elizabeth, reached Plymouth yesterday after two and a half years' commission in the Mediterranean, during which she has steamed over 30,000 miles. She was flying the flag of Admiral Sir Ernie Chatfield, who will succeed Admiral Sir Frederick Field at the Admiralty as the First Sea Lord.—British Wireless Service.

NEW DOCK EXTENSION INSPECTED.

London, To-day.

The Duke and Duchess of York, who visited Southampton yesterday to open new civil buildings, also made an extensive tour of the docks, extension and the new graving dock, which form a development scheme costing over \$10,000,000.—British Wireless Service.



The Woman's Page



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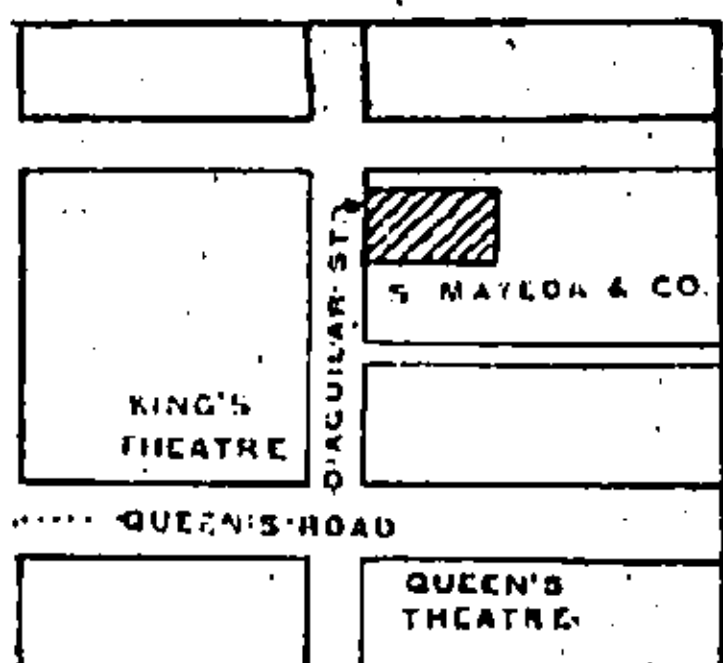


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BEAUTY HINTS FOR INVALIDS.

How To Look Well When Ill.

"There is something very pathetic about ill-health, particularly when it attacks a woman who would otherwise be pretty and prevents her from looking her best," writes Lady Kitty Vincent in the Daily Telegraph.

Luckily, ill-health is, as a rule, a passing complaint, but there are a certain number of chronic sufferers who can never hope to be really well.

I know how wearying it is to wake up and to realise that a "bad day" has dawned, and that everything will be more or less of a struggle for the next twenty-four hours. Even the early morning cup of tea is a disappointment, and when that fails I always think that things are black indeed. But I also believe that to take an interest in one's looks does much to dissipate the feeling of weariness.

Alternate Colours.

It is a good plan to have two alternate colours for caps and wraps. Perhaps pink is as nice a shade for bed as any, but there may come a day when one is inclined to be sallow, and in that case blue is a good deal more restful and becoming. If you are very white, blue may not add any colour to your skin, but, at any rate, it will not add the wrong colour, which can be the case with pink.

With blue you can add a touch of rouge, if need be; and if you are sallow, it should be of the apricot shade. A blue shade in rouge is fatal against a yellow skin. You should choose a shade which will tone, not one that will clash. Lipstick should be soft and creamy, not drying, for an invalid's lips are always inclined to crack. Try to find something that will give just sufficient colour to make lips look "alive," but not artificial in colouring.

I am greatly in favour of a chronic invalid washing the face daily with soft water and a super-fatted soap. As the skin is not exposed to the drying effects of the wind and sun it will retain its elasticity longer than the complexion which has to battle against all weather. On the other hand it gets less "exercise," and is apt to become sluggish, so that washing will remove all impurities, and will stimulate the skin.

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Comforts In The Car

For those who find their legs become very tired after motoring for any length of time, there are some new wedge-shaped hassocks, which lessen such tiredness considerably.

Of course, they can be made at home, but busy housewives will find them stocked in many sizes and various covers by shops which supply all the equipment a car needs.

I have seen such a leg-rest covered with dull red hair carpet. It was quite firmly upholstered, and it allowed the feet and legs to rest in an easy position. A friend assured me it makes all the difference to her comfort when motoring most of the day.

(Continued from previous column.) late it and tend to make it softly pink.

Massage twice a week with a cool light cream will probably be sufficient, but it should be a thorough massage, and should be given at night. If you have been suffering from a high temperature it will be found very soothing, once the fever has departed to steam the face, and massage afterwards.

Should you possess a greasy skin, wash the face both night and morning, and in the morning use an astringent lotion. Instead of a face cloth use a rubber sponge and lather the face briskly—you can massage your face with the lather as though it were cream. A steaming is equally beneficial for a greasy skin after an attack of fever; it will rid the pores of the acids which may tend to clog them. With an oily skin, do not use a cream afterwards, but rinse in warm water in which a few drops of benzoin have been poured.

If hair becomes dull and lacklustre, polish daily with a clean white silk handkerchief. This will remove a great deal of dust and make the hair gleam.

LEFT GRAND OPERA FOR THE FARM.

Famous Prima Donna Is A Fatalist.

WEDS NOTED PIANIST.

Kansas City.

Marion Talley Raucheisen, who gave up a Metropolitan opera career to become a wheat farmer, and more recently a wife, is a fatalist who has had no disappointments in life.

"It may be that I have never expected great things," said the 25-year-old Mrs. Raucheisen, bride of the noted German pianist, Michael Raucheisen, at their modest apartment here.

"If they don't come to me then I am not disappointed." Whether she will ever return to opera depends, she says, on the same thing which caused her to desert it, an inner feeling that "what is to be, is to be."

The owner of a 1,600-acre farm near Colby, Kas., believes her career as a singer from the time she was a choir girl in Kansas City to her rise as a Metropolitan star was all arranged and was but a following of "that which is within."

No Temperament.

She has no patience with temperament among artists.

"These people who are making great plans and fussing and stewing around aren't helping their art," she asserted.

Her mother interposed that on the night when she made her debut in New York as "Gilda" she packed her small bag at the hotel and was "perfectly calm and the coolest one of any of us."

Her studies in Germany recently started reports that she might be preparing to resume an operatic career but, Mrs. Raucheisen said she "studied merely for her own pleasure and satisfaction."

Happy In Work.

She expressed a lack of interest in money and fame.

"I have always been happy in my work," she asserted and added:

"All the time I was singing in concert I never called upon my manager for my salary. I went through the whole season and at the end I had a settlement with my manager. That was all there was to it."

But her husband was authority for the information that she is a good business woman. Although an artist at heart, she has the practical interest which permits her to know how much of her farm land is in wheat, how much it is producing to the acre, and the status of wheat prices.

She confesses, she "must have known something about business to retired and still be able to live comfortably." Associated Press.



Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

Breakfast.
Grapefruit
Cooked Corn Cereal Cream
Buttered Toast Coffee

Luncheon.
Vegetable Soup
Bread Butter
Blueberry Tea Cakes
Tea

Dinner.
Spanish Rice
Buttered Beets
Bread Butter
Pineapple Delight Salad
Celery Seed Dressing
Blueberry Tea Cakes.
(Use canned berries)

6 tablespoons fat
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
2/3 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/4 cups flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 1/2 cups berries

Drain the berries. Cream fat and sugar, add eggs, milk, vanilla, salt, flour and baking powder. Beat two minutes. Fold in berries. Half fill greased muffin pans and bake 20 minutes in moderate oven. Serve fresh.

Pineapple Delight Salad.
6 slices pineapple
6 preserved figs
2/3 cup cottage or cream cheese
6 pieces lettuce
Stuff the figs with the cheese. Chill all the ingredients. Arrange the stuffed figs on the pineapple which has been placed on the lettuce. Add the celery seed dressing.

Celery Seed Dressing.
(For fruit or vegetable salads)
1 teaspoon celery seed
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon paprika
1 teaspoon dry mustard
5 tablespoons sugar
4 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup salad oil
Chill the ingredients. Mix in a bowl and beat for three minutes with a rotary beater. Chill. Beat well when ready to serve and pour over the arranged salads. Store the dressing in the ice box and it will keep for days.

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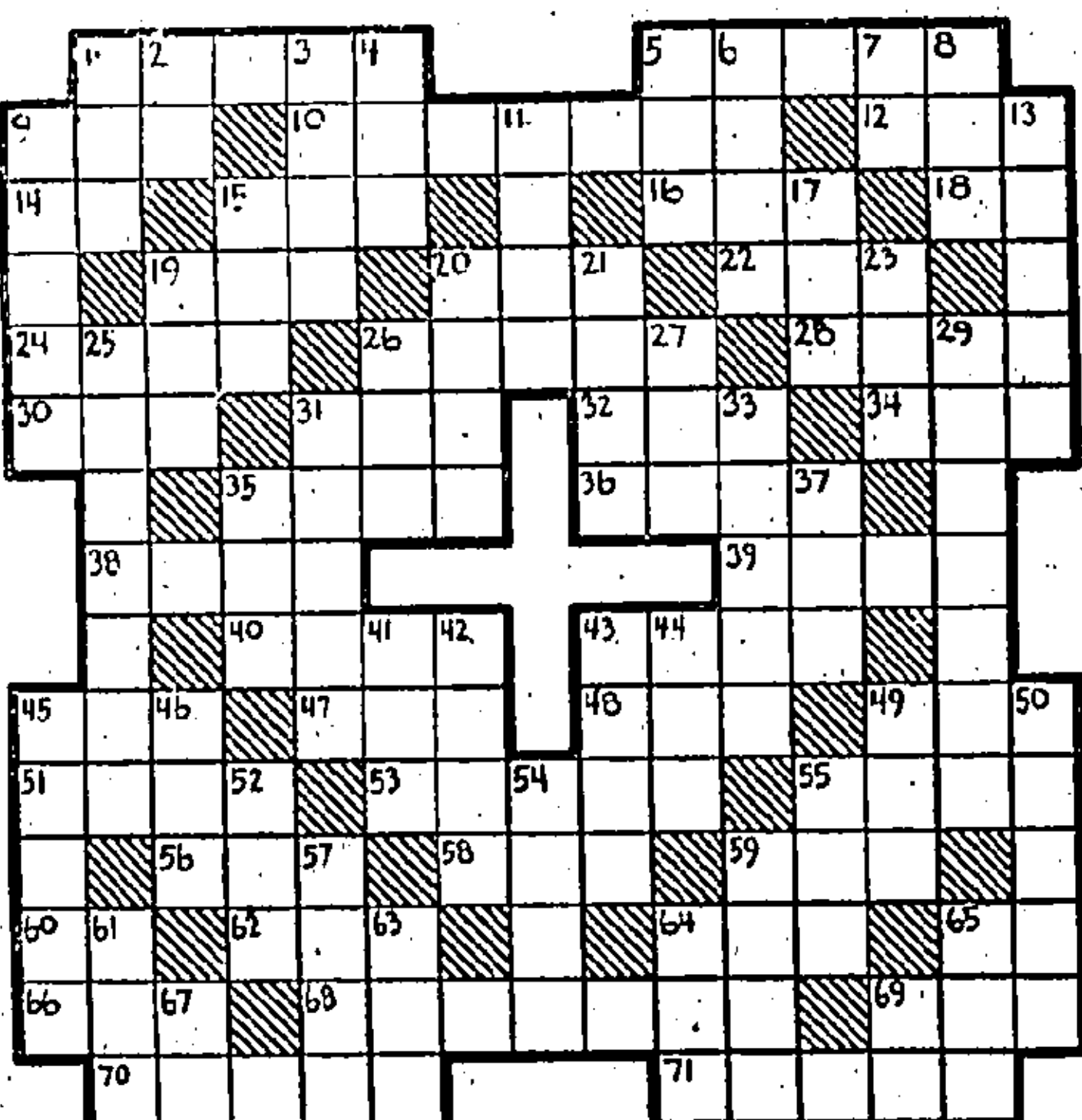
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL

1-Spite
5-Large artery
9-Bull
10-Forsakes
12-Bone of the body
14-Pronoun
16-Kitchen utensil
18-A tree
19-Musical note
20-Organ of hearing
22-Permit
24-Grass
26-Containing to punishment
28-Want
30-A metal
31-Hungry (abbr.)
32-Cover
34-Rarified matter
36-A fountain
38-English school
39-Shakespearean king
40-City in Alaska
42-Former Russian
43-Allie
45-Bard
48-An insect
49-Epoch
50-Imitate
51-A beverage
52-Genuine

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

53-Make amends for
55-River encircling
56-Strike gently
58-Evening (Poet.)
59-A wager
60-Like
62-Seed covering
64-Cover for the head
65-District of Columbia (abbr.)
66-Consumed
68-Conundrums
69-Small rug
70-Wandered
71-Refund

VERTICAL

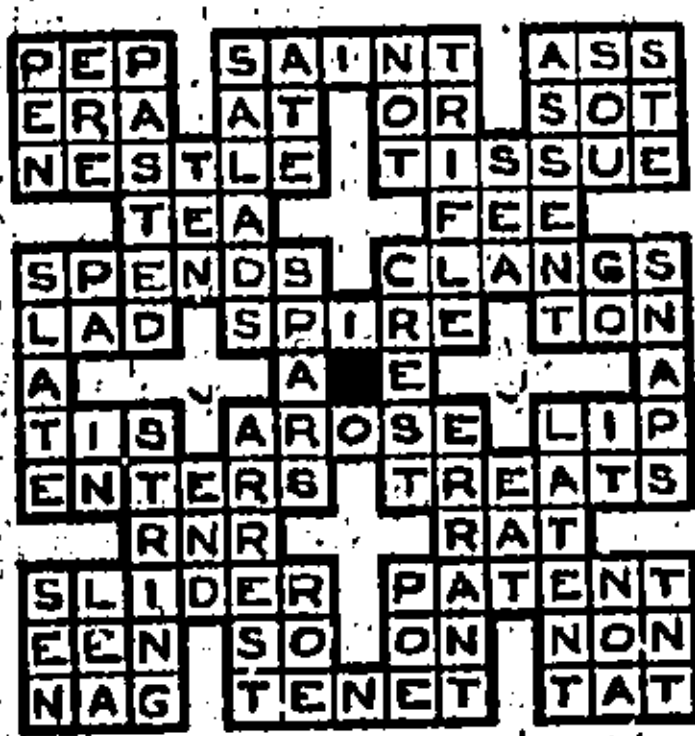
1-Large cask
2-Printer's measure
3-Scent
4-Joined
5-Consumed
6-Capital of Norway
7-Treasurer (abbr.)
8-Atmosphere
9-To fasten firmly
11-Level
13-Form
15-Kitchen utensil
17-Time period (abbr.)
19-Eagle

VERTICAL (Cont.)

20-Loaded
21-Story
23-Support
25-Direct rail-road route
26-A witty saying
27-Inflamed
29-Anxiously
31-An animal
33-One who receives a gift
35-Obese
37-Likewise not
41-Constellation
42-Grade
43-Window glass
44-Open (Poet.)
45-Ascended
46-Knock lightly
48-Attorney (abbr.)
50-Precise
52-Lick up
54-Roman poet
55-Place
57-Lacerated
59-Foundations
61-Propeller
63-Accomplished
64-Pronoun
65-Period of time
67-Proposition
69-Mother (short)

(The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle, will appear in to-morrow's issue.)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.



In Barcelona will be distributed in December, 1934, the "Paixot Prize" of 20,000 pesetas, offered for a lyric music work comprising at least three acts. The contest is open to Catalans and to all composers who have lived two years in Barcelona or the Catalonian provinces.

Cast Sometimes Spoils The Play

*Dramatist's Work
Unjustly Judged*

THE IDEAL PERFORMANCE

London. (By Mail). It is a truism that a dramatist's work is entitled to be judged by an ideal performance. When we read a play, such a performance may be freely accorded to it, by the imagination — if we have imagination enough and enough knowledge of the stage. But when we see a play in a theatre, the blank canvas on which a reader's interpretative imagination may paint freely is occupied. Direct contact between dramatist and audience is changed into contact of a different kind, and the spectator — except when the performance is in fact flawless — is called upon to exercise penetrative criticism. He must distinguish between the credits and discredits of author, actor and producer. He must be able to see through the fog that is caused by miscasting. This is an extremely difficult critical exercise that cannot be performed except by a spectator who is at once sensitive and experienced, and for this reason more than any other the profession of dramatic critic is a technically skilled profession.

Amateur playgoers, though their taste may be admirable and though they may be capable of distinguishing with excellent judgment between the whole impression received from a play on Monday and the whole impression received from another play on Tuesday, are seldom able to see through a fog of miscasting. They are in greater danger than an experienced critic of condemning a good play because a performance has given it the superficial appearance of a bad play.

They would, I am sure, have been seriously misled by a performance given at the Q Theatre of a play called "The Quince Bush," by Marian Bower and Marion Faicett. Not that the spectators failed to enjoy it; they applauded it with enthusiasm; but I think that what they were chiefly applauding was the work of Louise Hampton in the principal part and the incidental humours of the piece. That they perceived, through the fog which lay thickly over many performances, how much substance there is in this piece and how differently it would appear if a little of its structure and a great part of its presentation were reorganised is extremely doubtful.

Pathetic Story.

Its leading character is the daughter, Jessica, of a solidly and proudly traditional yeoman family in East Anglia. Her father takes as his second wife a young girl, Letty, who accepts the marriage for what she can get out of it and does not hesitate to continue to be the mistress of an actor named Halliwell who spends much of his time in the neighbourhood. Halliwell is as unscrupulous as Letty herself, but Jessica loves him, and has long loved and waited for him, believing that he will marry her. In desperation she also becomes for a time his mistress and is with child by him when her father dies.

The causes have been stated; the consequences now begin to appear. They are unfortunately complicated by the father's will, which, like nearly all wills that have much influence on the drama, is a weak-

ness in the play's structure, because it is an arbitrary cause, not a cause arising naturally from character. Of much greater importance than the terms of the will is the problem of the future of Jessica's child. She persuades Letty, in return for money, to recognise the child as hers and thus give it legitimacy, to go away herself and to leave the child to be brought up by Jessica, who will never reveal her motherhood but behave to the growing girl as an elder half-sister.

Years of blackmail by Letty and patient endurance by Jessica follow, until at last the truth is forced out with consequences that depend upon the child's reception of it and differ from Jessica's expectation of them as her daughter's character and point of view differ from her own. In one aspect this is the story of the cutting of a traditionalist knot; in another it is the biography of a woman of great integrity and strength, the whole course of whose life was diverted by the accumulating consequences of a single act, which, in itself, was scarcely part of her life at all.

The possession of this double theme gives to the play an uncommon richness which ought to have been increased by a careful building up of the background of country life in East Anglia. The difficulty in performance was that several of the lesser parts were played as theatrical types, and I am sure that many in the audience were thereby prevented from seeing a distinction between the shrewd, character-building inwardness of the play's country-wit and the slapdash comedy. Not to perceive this distinction is not to understand the play, which, though guilty at present of structural awkwardnesses, which themselves betray that the drama was adapted from a novel, has — ought to have, if every part were as well performed as Miss Hampton's — an exceptional power to make the spectator feel that the characters are rooted in life and will reveal more and more of themselves as they are studied.

A Stodgy School

Buxton, England. The first International Summer School of Dance, which will have come to an end just as these lines appear, affords an excellent point of vantage from which to survey the English dance field. This, to be sure, is scarcely what the title of the enterprise would imply; as a matter of fact, it is anything but an international event. For all that there are a few foreigners present in the capacity of teachers and pupils, the programme is arranged according to the stodgiest type of English formula, and the whole affair is markedly provincial in its outlook. It's only useful to provide teacher in various schools of dancing with new "routines" to teach when the Autumn season begins.

Russia Prepares For Her Next Theatrical Season

Preparations for the coming theatre season in Russia are being made in the spirit of the scheduled nation-wide celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of the birth of the Soviet Republic on Nov. 7, 1917, judging by items found in recent issues of Moscow papers. Incidentally, it is pointed out that the new plays and operettas will be linked with weighty problems of Socialist construction, but without too much emphasis upon the historical motif.

The Little Theatre in Moscow will present a new version of Faddeyev's "Destruction." In the Second Art Theatre the "urge" of the proletariat after the heights of science will be depicted. In "Heaven and Earth" by Tur, while the Vakhtangov Theatre is to show "The Foreign Collegium" by L. Slavin, "Struggle in the West," by Vishnevsky will make its bow at

the Theatre of the Revolution, and "Who-How?" by P. Markish in the Karmerny Theatre. Pogodin's "Snow" will cool the spectators in the Trade Union Theatre.

In the Leningrad Dramatic Theatre the struggle to carry out the general line of the industrial revolution is to be shown in "The Revolution Continues," by Goret and Stein, while the other Leningrad houses will give the new pieces scheduled for production in the capital city.

Among the works to be presented before the end of the 1932-33 season are "Mollere," by Bulgakof; "Commandants of the Five-Year Plan," by Pogodin; "An Airplane Over the City," by Levitof, and a play about the Red Army by Romanof. A new house, called the "Tragedy Stage" is to be opened in Moscow during the coming season, with several Shakespearean works.

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He is also a man of immense courage. The fact that most of the instruments used in the time of Henry Lawes are to be found in museums and are not available for performance never discourages him. With incomparable determination and perseverance he set about the heart-breaking task of making them, and in the course of a few years he had made any number of clavichords, harpsichords, lutes, viols, recorders. You can now buy from him a soprano, a descant, a treble or a tenor recorder. You may also obtain textbooks dealing with the technique of one or all of these neglected instruments.

Mr. Dolmetsch works and dreams in a world of his own where no echo is ever heard of the workshop and the market-place, where no rumour reaches of the quests and anxieties of his fellow-men. He is on intimate terms with Purcell, Bach, Veracini and other composers of the past; he is familiar with musicians like Diego Pizarro, Forqueray, Albinoni and Martin Farner, who are but names to most of us. He has probably never heard of Richard Strauss or Schonberg. He has also converted to his creed and imparted some of his knowledge to a small number of earnest disciples and to the members of his family, every one of whom is an expert per-



Mrs. H. Mein, an accomplished dancer, who will entertain at the Peninsula Hotel in aid of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, on Saturday, November 12.

former on two or more instruments. His son Rudolph surpasses him in skill on the harpsichord; his second son, Carl, is the acknowledged master of the recorder. Mrs. Dolmetsch and the younger daughter will handle anything from a violone to a small violin. The eldest daughter, Cecile, takes her share in instrumental performances; more often she appears as the singer of the company. Her voice is thin, awkwardly placed and as "white" as that of a very young boy. But with all its shortcomings, her performance fits in the scheme somehow; it is a token of the superiority of the spiritual over the material, of the fact that the music is the thing and not the skill (or the vanity) of an interpreter; of the great difficulties which had to be overcome before this festival of ancient music could become a reality.

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"SUNSHINE SUSIE"—KING'S THEATRE.

In response to many repeated requests, the popular British musical "Sunshine Susie" is being shown on the screen of the King's Theatre today. Renate Muller heads a competent cast of players, and sings delightfully. The theme song "Happy" is catchy, and together with other numbers provides good entertainment. Highly recommended.

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"CARNIVAL"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

Herbert Wilcox's production, "Carnival," one of the most outstanding British pictures of the year is now showing at the Central Theatre.

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12.30 p.m.—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.15 p.m.—Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-Day Press News.

2 p.m.—Close Down.

5.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

6.45 p.m.—Chinese Children's Programme.

7 p.m.—10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7.25 p.m.—Orchestral.

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The China Mail.

Hong Kong, Wednesday, Nov. 9, 1932.

The League Loans.

The League Loans Committee in London, which was formed this summer under the chairmanship of Sir Austen Chamberlain to safeguard the status of the loans issued under the auspices of the League of Nations and to protect the bondholders, has issued two memorials, one addressed to His Majesty's Government and the other to the Council of the League. Both documents draw attention to the deplorable effect upon the influence of the League of Nations of the defaults which have occurred upon the League loans, and to the difficulty which such defaults inevitably place in the way of raising further loans needed for the purposes of reconstruction. They also emphasize very justly the special character of the League issues, to which the British investing public subscribed about half the total. They point out, moreover, that these issues have a moral claim to special consideration, since but for the reconstruction schemes to which they were applied the service of any pre-war debts could not have been renewed, and lenders would not have been found to invest their money in the countries to which these loans were made. In view of these circumstances the Committee calls upon the British Government to ask the Council of the League to take steps to restore confidence in League issues and enable the League to continue its work of European reconstruction. It would be difficult to over-estimate the gravity of the situation to which these two memorials call attention. Of all the heavy shocks administered to the system of international credit by the events of the past two years, the defaults which have taken place on the League loans are by far the heaviest, owing to the particularly solemn nature of the obligations entered into by the debtor countries, obligations which in several instances have been regarded in a way which no plea of necessity can excuse. Except for the Free City of Danzig and the State of Estonia all the

League's creditors are in default.

Not only has the transfer of the sums required for the service of these debts been suspended, but also in more than one instance the payment of assigned revenues in the currency of the debtor countries has been withheld. It is true that since these documents were drawn up, some two months ago, some of the debtor countries have made an effort, however slight, to improve their position. Thus the Green Government has recently arranged to meet the service of its foreign debt for the time being to the extent of 30 per cent., and the Austrian Government, which has by the skin of its teeth succeeded in obtaining the ratification of the Lausanne agreement for a new League loan, has undertaken as soon as the loan is issued to resume payment on the reconstruction loan of 1923. The Hungarian Government has also expressed the hope that it will at any rate be able to provide sufficient funds to meet the interest coupons on its League loan up till August of next year. But in view of the continued deterioration in the economic situation of the countries of Central and South-Eastern Europe, the whole position is uncertain, and it is imperative that the Council of the League at its next meeting should take immediate steps, in the interest of debtors and creditors alike, to reach a business-like agreement with the debtor countries on the future status of these obligations. The liquidation of the vast mass of miscellaneous indebtedness which has been contracted since the conclusion of the War must be carried out in an orderly and systematic manner. This process implies above all a spirit of harmonious collaboration and a clear recognition of the different categories of debts. It is natural enough that in a time of world-wide catastrophe private creditors should desire to safeguard their interests by any means that promise to assist them in saving what they can from the general wreckage, without any very careful consideration of such vexed questions as priority. But this question, difficult as it is, must clearly be faced; and there can be no doubt that, both from the moral and from the practical point of view, the claim of the League loans to special consideration is unanswerable. For, without these loans and the schemes of reconstruction to which they were applied, the economic life of the debtor countries would have remained so disorganized that any business transactions with them would have been impossible. It is therefore essential that the Governments of the creditor as well as of the debtor Powers should agree to recognize their special position. Once such an agreement has been reached, and only then, it will be

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Milk for Buildings.
One cannot match the story of the peasant in an arid region of Hungary who mixed the mortar for his new dwelling with wine instead of water; but it is known that Italian plasterers mix their plaster with milk.

A visitor who was re-facing the exterior of his Italian villa was recently astonished to hear his workmen ask for several gallons of milk. Unaware that the hardy Piedmontese had lately succumbed to Prohibitionist propaganda, he inquired the reason, and it was explained to him that the use of milk in mixing the plaster would give a certain velvety patina to the walls of the villa.

Your Daily Smile.

JUST THE SAME
Pelota, the world's fastest game, is shortly to be introduced into England. Already I can hear the frenzied fans screaming: "Offside! foulplay! whistles! shoot where the red dirt turns him off!"

D.O.R.A., Alas!
Unwept, unhonoured—but still unhung.

The "It" Boys.
The Mayor of Chicago says the London detective force is one of the finest in the world. "Tees appeal."

"What Has This Government Done?"

Facts You Did Not Know.

Pulling a trigger feeds solder to the tip of a new electric soldering iron that resembles a pistol.

Umbrellas have been invented by a Bavarian to be mounted on bicycles to shelter riders from rain or sun.

Stop signs for streets that a California man has invented sink into pavements should an automobile strike them.

Made early in the Seventeenth century, bee hives that are formed like human figures still are in use in Silesia.

possible to consider an orderly scaling down for the time being of those obligations which, owing to the collapse in prices brought about by the world crisis, have become a burden too great for the debtor countries to bear.

The chief task of the Council in dealing with this question at its next meeting should therefore be to evolve a regular method of procedure by which, in agreement with the debtor Governments, such defaults as are really inevitable can be regularized, first by the suspension of sinking funds and then, where necessary, by the partial remission of the transfer of interest payments. At the same time the Council should lose no time in impressing upon the debtor Governments the inviolability of the revenues assigned to the service of these loans, and in insisting upon the necessary measures of economy in the management of their budgets. Only by these means will it be possible to hold the balance equitably between the interests of creditor and debtor and to safeguard the financial prestige of the League itself, which is essential to world recovery. For the ordinary machinery of international investment has been so gravely damaged by recent events that it is doubtful whether it can again be made to work except by the help of some organized form of international collaboration. The private investor is at present in a position to assume the risk of commercial loans, and the transactions between individual Governments have unfortunately been inspired only too often by political considerations of a most undesirable character. The only organization which is capable of assuming this all-important task is the League itself. It is absolutely essential therefore that the Council should take immediate steps to rehabilitate its financial reputation by dealing with these defaults in a constructive and businesslike way.

Roosevelt Reviews "The Big Job"

Singular Zest For Life's
Adventure

THE JOLLY GOVERNOR

The first impression produced by the Democratic candidate for the Presidency is that of the fortunate man who is doing what he most likes to do, a man who enjoys his present office, is eagerly on his way to one he will like better, and in all circumstances maintains a "smiling" philosophy and a singular zest for the adventure of life. In those good old days when he nominated the Happy Warrior, he was like the painter who suggests his own characteristics in his portraits of others, extolling the political temperament he has successfully cultivated in himself. When I first saw Franklin D. Roosevelt, at the Cox notification ceremonies in Dayton in 1920, he was a handsome and radiant figure, faring forth on a hopeless campaign with a smile of gay good humour. Twelve years later he swooped down from the skies to accept his own nomination from the Chicago convention. In the interval he had suffered one political defeat mostly by revulsion around Governor Roosevelt, and a physical disaster so vicarious, and a physical disaster so valourously surmounted and lightly borne that it has become almost an asset. Otherwise his luck has held; the luck of being a well-born and comfortably circumstanced American, happily following a chosen career, mounting with rapid steps the political pyramid until at 50 he stands at the apex, leader of his party in a year when the winds blow in his direction.

A Fixed Smile.

Back in 1900 Governor Roosevelt, then a candidate for the State Senate, made the first automobile campaign. He made another precedent when he flew to Chicago, and by that characteristic touch of drama, plus the same smile, now more fixed and deepened, like his voice, he succeeded in dissipating the gloominess of an assembly that toward the end had gone heavy and more than a little sour. His campaign speeches have a similarly inspiring effect. He is not a speaker to raise the echoes and the temperature, like Governor Smith, but he does raise the hopes of the Democrats, and their eyes to the Promised Land.

It is in Albany, however, on the job and eating it up, that his gusto is most impressive. There you see him stimulated by the stir and movement, the light and spotlight of the public tournament. He enjoys attacking the problems of administration. He relishes the stratagems and surprises of the election fight. Above all he loves the crowding contacts with all sorts of people. He has something of the indiscriminate enthusiasm, the "delight" of the first Roosevelt. His first interest, he says, is in the theory and practice of government; his second is in people. When he speaks of "humanising government," a favourite phrase, he means bringing the two more closely together. If called upon to move in, he would "humanise the White House," too, and at Albany you can imagine what effect that might have on the pleasant, pitilessly public but austere domicile of the Presidents.

Stodgy and heavily Victorian in outward aspect, the Executive Mansion of New York State under the present regime is probably the most informal official residence in the country. This is also a house without privacy, but nobody seems to mind. It is a house full of life and laughter. The Governor's ready laugh rings out from nearly any room, the members of the family have a lot of fun among themselves; even the visitors are cheerful. It is a house of wide-open doors and few secrets. The Governor's study is immediately to the left of the front door and he is not only visible but apparently accessible to any one who enters. People seem to wander in and out, glancing at the telegrams on the hall table, eavesdropping if they will, examining the books piled up on the tables in all the rooms, in variety like a circulating library of current publications. The day I was there a reporter picked up a copy of "Stuart Chase's 'A New Deal'" and discovered fifty new one-dollar bills between the pages, sent as a campaign contribution.

Governor's Routine.

This was an off day. The Walker hearings were suspended, and the

Governor did not go to the Capitol. He took advantage of the first lull in three weeks to catch up with his correspondence, dispose of accumulated routine business of the State and map out the series of speeches for his Western trip. As if this were not enough, with an interview or two thrown in, in the afternoon there were hearings on the cases of two prisoners condemned to death in Sing Sing; a two-hour conference with representatives of the railway workers' unions, invited by the Governor to give their views on a perplexing public question; a discussion with two State Commissioners on new power houses; a review with counsel of Judge Staley's decision on the was a handsome and radiant figure, faring forth on a hopeless campaign with a smile of gay good humour. Twelve years later he swooped down from the skies to accept his own nomination from the Chicago convention. In the interval he had suffered one political defeat mostly by revulsion around Governor Roosevelt, and a physical disaster so vicarious, and a physical disaster so valourously surmounted and lightly borne that it has become almost an asset. Otherwise his luck has held; the luck of being a well-born and comfortably circumstanced American, happily following a chosen career, mounting with rapid steps the political pyramid until at 50 he stands at the apex, leader of his party in a year when the winds blow in his direction.

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Moral Leadership.
"The Presidency," he says, "is not merely an administrative office. That's the least of it. It is more than an engineering job, efficient or inefficient. It is pre-eminently a place of moral leadership. All our great Presidents were leaders of thought at times when certain historic ideas in the life of the nation had to be clarified. Washington personified the idea of federal union. Jefferson practically originated the party system as we know it by opposing the democratic theory to the republicanism of Hamilton. This theory was reaffirmed by Jackson. Two great principles of our government were forever put beyond question by Lincoln. Cleveland, coming into office following an era of great political corruption, typified rugged honesty. T. R. and Wilson were both moral leaders, each in his own way and for his own time, who used the Presidency as a pulpit."

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SPITTING IN MARKETS PROHIBITED.

New Sanitary Board By-Law Passed.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board, held yesterday, Mr. G. R. Sayers, the President, moved "That the Board approved the introduction of the following addition to the by-laws governing the markets:—No person shall spit in any market stall, nor in any market avenue, stairway or thoroughfare."

Supporting the President were the Hon. Mr. H. M. Henderson, Vice-President, Dr. G. W. Pope, M.O.H., Messrs. Wong Kwong-lin, M. K. Lo, L. C. F. Bellamy, C. Chamkin, C. H. Baste, J. H. Gelling, secretary, and Ng Muk-kai, assistant Secretary.

In moving his proposition, Mr. Sayer said that when in April last he introduced a series of by-laws designed to prevent spitting in all premises licensed and controlled by the Board, he had omitted the public markets. It was an important omission as the public had free access to stalls, controlled areas, avenues and passages. The Motion was put to the Board and carried unanimously.

Joan Croft, daughter of Bandman Croft, of the South Wales Borderers, was treated at the Military Hospital yesterday after she had been bitten by her mongrel dog, which was sent to Kennedy Town for observation.

SOCIALIST HOPES IN AMERICA

Presidential Candidate Who Married The "Angel Of Hell's Kitchen."

New York, Socialism, weaker in the United States than perhaps in any other great country, is riding to greater strength on the wave of depression.

The most reliable non-partisan survey shows that Mr. Norman Thomas, the Socialist candidate for the Presidency, is likely to poll over 2,000,000 votes. When this is contrasted with the 267,420 votes that he polled in the 1928 election it can be seen what an advance has been made.

The bulk of the new votes which Thomas will gain will be undoubtedly in the nature of a protest against the conservative methods of both the Republican and Democratic parties, which a vast number of voters consider have proved a failure under the stress of the economic breakdown.

"L. J. rary Digest" Poll. The "L. J. rary Digest" conducted by the "Literary Digest," the most reliable election barometer the country possesses, shows that out of the first 2,000,000 votes counted Thomas has polled 100,000, compared with 781,431 for Mr. Hoover and 1,062,087 for Governor Roosevelt. This, for the United States, is an extraordinary showing, and if the voting continues on this ratio, Thomas might even poll three million votes.

An analysis of the votes cast in the "Digest" poll is significant. It shows that out of the 100,000 votes already cast for Thomas only 11,000 were cast by people who voted for him in the last Presidential election; 48,000 votes were cast by those who voted Republican in 1928 and 21,000 by those who voted Democrat. There are 21,000 votes for Thomas from those who did not vote in 1928, which means that they are mostly from youths just reaching voting age, and indicates that one-fifth of the Socialist strength comes from the younger generation.

Thus the Socialists, who never harboured the faintest illusion about their chances of winning the election, are tremendously pleased at their progress, and are planning a vigorous campaign to consolidate their strength during the next four years.

They believe that if Governor Roosevelt is elected—and most people now think that he will be—and he fails to solve the economic problems by the next election, in 1936, that year will see the Socialist Party in striking distance of becoming a third major party, and perhaps, in the next decade, of winning the Presidential election.

A Moderate Man. Mr. Thomas is a far-seeing Moderate, and as such is hated by the Communists in the United States. He believes in the practical slow evolution of a Socialist State. If he were elected President to-morrow there would be few changes. No banks would be seized; no property would be menaced.

He thus has the respect of all factions—except the Communists. He is characterized as "a man of ability and learning and high ideals." His speeches are accurately and fully reported even in the most staid Conservative newspapers.

Tall and of upright carriage, he is slightly bald, and what hair he has is almost white. He has keen eyes, a firm chin, and a prominent forehead. He is noted for a sense of humour and forbearance and for always looking at both sides of the question. He married a Miss Frances Violet Stewart, a young New York society girl, whom he met when she was doing social relief work on the "East Side" (of New York), where she was known as "The Angel of Hell's Kitchen." They have five children.

"Not So Terrible." A significant development on Wall Street reported by financial observers is the tendency shown to fear Mr. Roosevelt's election less, and not to regard it as an impending national calamity. The Wall Street tradition is to view a National Democratic victory as a menace. Now, however, since they believe that Mr. Roosevelt

is likely to be elected, they are examining his record and pronouncements, and find him not so terrible or radical as was supposed.

It would be incorrect to say that Wall Street regards Mr. Roosevelt's possible election with favour, but many are beginning to look on it at least with equanimity.

The hectic trading of the last two months has now quietened down and traders are apparently awaiting more definite signs of commodity and business trends, plus the reaction after the election uncertainty, before starting full speed again.

Unemployed Wanderers. Reports from Denver, San Francisco, Los Angeles and other cities throughout the country tell of small bands of homeless unemployed, many of whom are ex-soldiers, wandering disconsolately everywhere, eking out a precarious existence from the country-side.

Most cities of any size have encampments of these helpless victims of economic conditions, who are supplied with tents where possible and given what food can be spared. Many are accompanied by their wives and children.

The Southern States will probably bear the brunt of this strange economic burden, since the trek towards the warmer parts of the country has already started.

Pearls At Half-Price. The most vivid indication of the strange effects of the depression—an indication which has caused extremists and others to laugh bitterly—is the announcement by one of New York's most exclusive jewellery houses that their entire collection of pearls and precious stones is available at exactly half-price.

This announcement has been circulated privately and in one or two exclusive magazines.

The firm offers a matched pearl necklace of seventy-five pearls, formerly priced at \$39,000 (at par), at \$19,500 (at par). The announcement adds: "These low prices cannot continue under normal conditions and are subject to withdrawal at any time."

News in Brief.

Quarantine restrictions imposed by Straits Settlements against arrivals from Hong Kong on account of Cholera have been removed.

The wedding will shortly take place of Mr. Robert Millar, of Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, and Miss Doris Punccheon, 6 Waverly Terrace, Kowloon Docks.

Two Chinese women, Mak Mui, 21, of 20 Peel Street and Wong Fo, 40, of 25 Peking Road, sustained minor injuries when they alighted from a moving tramcar in Des Voeux Road Central.

Hong Kong Rotarians were favoured with an informal but most interesting address at their weekly tiffin, which was held at the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden yesterday. The Right Rev. B. C. Roberts, Bishop of Singapore, was the speaker.

Arrested by the Police on October 27 for larceny of a pair of trousers and a vest from No. 2, Chatham Road, the residence of Mr. H. S. Rouse, Chung Tak-fong, with a bad record, was found to be a returned banished. He was committed for trial.

BABY CLINIC OPENS IN HONG KONG.

South China A.A. Has Organisation Ready.

In order to promote the health of bonny, bright babies, the South China Athletic Association is organising an "Infant Examination Society" which will function every Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

Members of the Association will have the privilege of having their babies examined either of these days, free of charge.

NINE INJURED IN FIERCE FIRE IN CANTON RD.

Frantic Occupants Jump To Safety.

FIREMEN HANDICAPPED BY WATER SHORTAGE.

Nine Chinese, six men and three married women, were injured, two severely, but were saved from a frightful death in a fire which broke out on the second floor of 972, Canton Road, in the Mongkok district, shortly after two o'clock this morning.

The blaze spread with fierce rapidity to the adjacent houses, Nos. 970 and 974, the ground floors of both of which are occupied by furniture dealers. The three houses, three-storeys in height, were completely destroyed.

All fire appliances available from the Kowloon and Mongkok Fire Stations attended, and on arrival the firemen found the flames had got a strong hold on the building. The fire-fighters were greatly handicapped when they turned on the water for the hoses and no water came.

It was fully half an hour before water could be obtained through the street mains, and the firemen had to go a considerable distance from the scene of the fire to turn on the water. It took fifteen minutes more before full pressure was obtained.

During the half hour the flames raged savagely, and the frantic occupants of the three houses were forced to jump to safety. In so doing, nine were injured.

Thrilling Rescue.

A feature of the fire was the thrilling rescue of an old Chinese woman who had become imprisoned in the kitchen on the top floor of the burning building. Firemen reached her and brought her down to safety just in time, for the flames had, by the time they reached the street, spread into the room where the old woman had been trapped. The escape became scorching, a few minutes later.

The fire, it is believed, originated from a pile of bamboo shavings which had been placed under the staircase of 972, Canton Road, and which had become ignited through a carelessly thrown cigarette end. The material fed the flames which spread to the whole floor. The inmates were aroused and panic-demonium reigned for some considerable time as the flames spread to the adjacent buildings.

The flames were extinguished by 3.50 a.m.

Four of the injured were removed by ambulance to the Kowloon Hospital these being:—Tong Wah-san, 37, male, 974, Canton Road, injuries to back; Wong Shun, 54, male, 974, second floor, injuries to head and hand; Wong Ching, 49, male, 972, second floor, head and body injuries; Liu Sing, 21, married woman, 974, third floor.

The other five were admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital, namely, Chan Sup, 32, married woman, 974, first floor, injuries to head and leg; Ng Yip-sin, 32, male, 201, Portland Street, first floor, hands and legs injuries; Ng Wong-kai, 38, male, 974, first floor, internal injuries (serious); Lai Kuk-nam, 38, male, 972, first floor, injuries to leg and hands; Chau Tak, 28, married woman, 972, first floor, suffering from internal injuries. Her condition is regarded as serious.

FUKIEN FLYING CORPS GROWS.

Former Officers Of Canton Chosen.

In response to a request of the Overseas Chinese, to organise an air force in Fukien, the 19th Route Army have cabled Messrs. Yung Koon-yue and Lau Chih-yin, the latter formerly a Colonel of the Canton Air Force, to assist in the organisation work.

Both these men have already proceeded to Fukien and are ready to fill two responsible posts. Mr. Tang Yuet-ming, a former leader of the Third Squadron of the Canton Air Force, yesterday received a cable requesting him to go to Fukien. He will depart for the latter place in two weeks' time, taking with him a number of men who formed a part of his squadron.

THE END OF THE PARTY

By Graham Greene.

PETER MOTORN woke with a start to face the first light. Through the window he could see a bare bough drooping across a frame of silver. Rain tapped against the glass with the sound of nervous fingers. It was February the fifth.

He looked across a table, on which a night light had guttered into a pool of water, at the other bed. Francis Morton was still asleep, and Peter lay down again with his eyes on his brother. It amused him to imagine that it was himself whom he watched—the same hair, the same eyes, the same lips and line of cheek. But the thought soon passed, and the mind went back to the fact that lent the day importance. It was the fifth of February. He could hardly believe that a year had passed since Mrs. Henne-Falcon had given her last children's party.

Francis turned suddenly upon his back and threw an arm across his face, blocking his mouth. Peter's heart began to beat fast, not with pleasure now but with uneasiness. He sat up and called across the table, "Wake up." Francis's shoulders shook and he waved a clenched fist in the air, but his eyes remained closed. To Peter Morton the whole room seemed suddenly to darken, and he had the impression of a great bird swooping. He cried again, "Wake up," and once more there was silence. Francis rubbed his eyes. "Did you call out?" he asked.

"You are having a bad dream," Peter said with confidence. Already experience had taught him how far their minds reflected each other. But he was the elder by a matter of minutes, and that brief extra interval of light, while his brother still struggled in pain and darkness, had given him self-reliance and an instinct of protection towards the other, who was afraid of so many things.

"I dreamed that I was dead," Francis said.

"What was it like?" Peter asked with curiosity.

"I can't remember," Francis said, and his eyes turned with relief to the silver of day, as he allowed the fragmentary memories to fade.

"You dreamed of a big bird."

C.B.A. ELECTS ITS OFFICERS.

Dues For Members Are Increased.

The annual meeting of the Central British Association was held at the Central British School hall last evening, under the chairmanship of Mr. G. P. de Martin, President.

The Report and Statement of Accounts for the season 1931-32 was unanimously adopted. A loss on Bar Account was transferred to the General Account of the Club.

Re-drafted rules were adopted by the meeting. The new rules raised male members' subscriptions from \$6 to \$10 annually, and reduced those to the lady members from \$6 to \$5.

The following officials were elected for the current season: President, Mr. G. P. de Martin. Vice-Presidents, Mr. B. Wylie and Miss E. S. Woolley. Chairman, Mr. G. Franklin Nightingale. General Committee: Miss M. L. Whitley, and Messrs. J. J. Ferguson, S. MacNider, J. F. King, G. B. Gurevitch and B. Bickford (Bar Convener).

CLOTHES FOR POOR OF HONG KONG.

Charity Organises Relief Measure.

Preparations are being made for the clothing of the Chinese poor this winter.

To date, Mr. Ling Mud Chiu, the manager of the Chung Sing Benevolent Society, has planned to distribute 5,000 suits of cotton clothing to the poor in the Colony.

The Tung Wah Hospital, another contributor, is also preparing to distribute clothing to the poor. Mr. Chan Lin-pak, interviewed by a China Mail reporter, said that preparations are being made to cloth 5,000 of the Colony's poor this coming winter. Distribution will actually take place when the cold sets in.

"Did I?" Francis accepted his brother's knowledge without question, and for a little the two lay silent in bed facing each other, the same green eyes, the same nose tilting at the tip, the same firm lips parted, and the same premature modelling of the chin. The fifth of February, Peter thought again, his mind drifting idly from the image of cakes to the prizes which might be won. Egg-and-spoon races, appearing apples in basins of water, blind man's buff.

"I don't want to go," Francis said suddenly. "I suppose Joyce will be there . . . Mabel Warren." Hatful to him the thought of a party shared with those two. They were older than he. Joyce was thirteen and Mabel Warren fifteen. Their long pigtails swung superciliously to a masculine stride. Their ex-humiliated him, as they watched him fumble with his egg, from under lowered, scornful lids. And last year . . . he turned his face away from Peter, his cheeks scarlet.

"What's the matter?" Peter asked. "Oh, nothing. I don't think I'm well. I've got a cold. I oughtn't to go to the party."

Peter was puzzled. "But Francis, is it a bad cold?"

"It will be a bad cold if I go to the party. Perhaps I shall die."

"Then you mustn't go," Peter said with decision, prepared to solve all difficulties with one plain sentence, and Francis let his nerves relax in a delicious relief, ready to leave everything to Peter. But though he was grateful he did not yet turn his face towards his brother. His cheeks still bore the badge of shameful memory, of the game of hide and seek last year in the darkened house, and of how he had screamed when Mabel Warren put her hand suddenly upon his arm. He had not heard her coming. Girls were like that. Their shoes never squeaked. No boards whined under their tread. They slunk like cats on padded claws.

When the nurse came in with hot water Francis lay tranquil, leaving everything to Peter. Peter said, "Nurse, Francis has got a cold."

TO-MORROW'S STORY.

To-morrow's short story will be "Memoirs of A Yellow Dog," by O. Henry.

The tall, starched woman laid the towels across the cans and said, without turning: "The washing won't be back till to-morrow. You must lend him some of your handkerchiefs."

"But nurse," Peter asked, "hadn't he better stay in bed?"

"We'll take him for a good walk this morning," the nurse said. "Wind'll blow away the germs. Get up now, both of you," and she closed the door behind her.

"I'm sorry," Peter said, and then, worried at the sight of a face creased again by misery and foreboding, "Why don't you just stay in bed? I'll tell mother you felt too ill to get up." But such a rebellion against destiny was not in Francis's power. Besides, if he stayed in bed they would come up and tap his chest and put a thermometer in his mouth and look at his tongue, and they would discover that he was malingering. It was true that he felt ill, a sick, empty sensation in his stomach and a rapidly beating heart, but he knew that the cause was only fear, fear of the party, fear of being made to hide by himself in the dark, unaccompanied by Peter and with a night light to make a blessed breach.

"No, I'll get up," he said, and then with sudden desperation, "but I won't go to Mrs. Henne-Falcon's party. I swear on the Bible I won't." Now surely all would be well, he thought. God would not allow him to break so solemn an oath. He would show him a way. There was all the morning before him and all the afternoon until four o'clock. He need not worry now when the grass was still crisp with the early frost. Anything might happen. He might cut himself or break his leg or really catch a bad cold. God would manage somehow.

He had such confidence in God that when at breakfast his mother said, "I hear you have a cold, Francis," he made light of it. "We should have heard more about it," his mother said with irony, "if there was not a party this evening." And Francis smiled uneasily, amazed and daunted by her ignorance of him. His happiness would have lasted longer if, out for a walk that morning, he had not met Joyce. He was alone with his nurse, for Peter had leave to finish a rabbit hutch in the woodshed. If Peter had been there he would have cared less; the nurse was Peter's nurse also, but now it was as though she were employed only for his sake, because he could not be trusted to go for a walk alone. Joyce was only two years older and she was by herself.

She came striding towards them, pigtail flying. She glanced scornfully at Francis and spoke with ostentatious to the nurse. "Hello, nurse. Are you bringing Francis to the party this evening? Mabel and I are coming." And she was off again down the street in the direction of Mabel Warren's home, consciously alone and self-sufficient in the long empty road. "Where's a nice girl?" the nurse said. But Francis was silent, feeling again the jump of his heart, realising how soon the hour of the party would arrive. God had done nothing for him, and the minutes flew.

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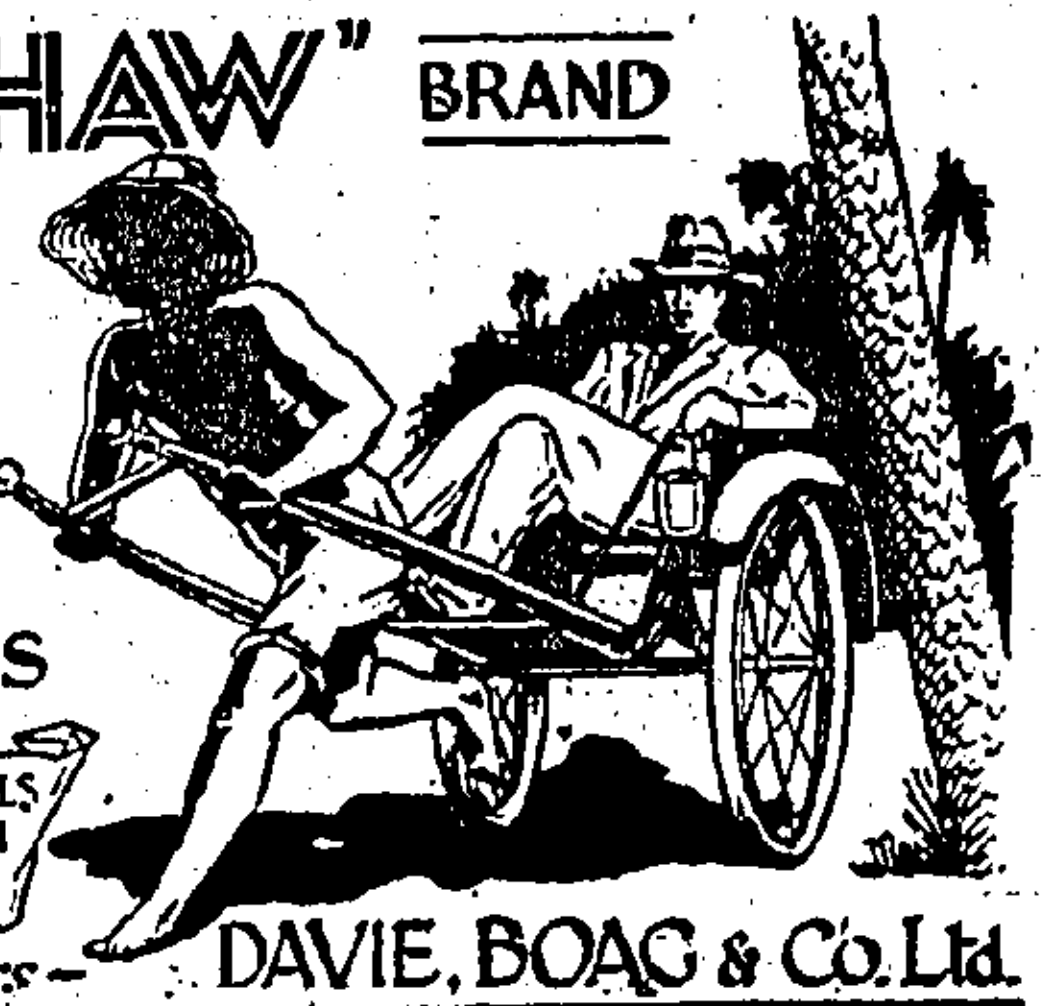
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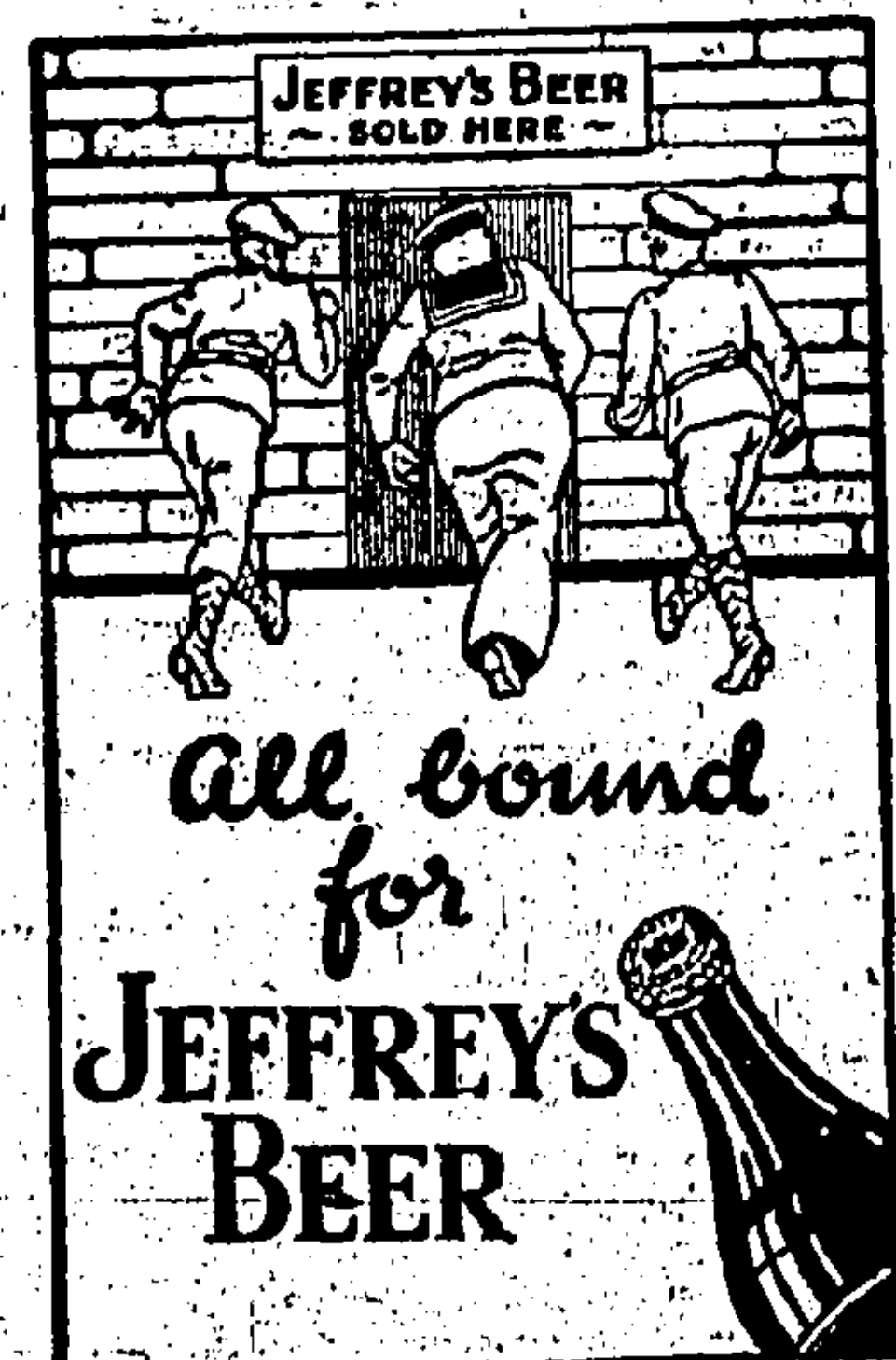
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SATISFACTORY SOCCER TRIAL

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JOHNSON'S GOOD LEADERSHIP

SUEN AND WONG IMPRESS IN INSIDE FORWARD POSITIONS.

(By Outside Left.)

YESTERDAY'S Interport Trial was most encouraging and must have given the Selectors every satisfaction. From the day's play, and taking into consideration the present selection of Howe, Strange and Rodger, the best Hong Kong side would be as follows:

RODGER (Club).

MULLANE (Borderers), S. STRANGE (Club).

BLISS (Kowloon), BARBER (Lincolns), A. DUNCAN (Club).

B. GOSANO (St. Joseph's), WONG MEI-SHUN (South China).

HOWE (Club), SUEN KAM-SHUN (Athletic).

BALDRY (Lincolns).

The final selection of the team will be made on Friday evening after the Trial match against the Rest XI, and the team will leave for the North on November 22. It is hoped that both Strange and Barber will have recovered from their injuries and be able to take their places in the side, as the Interports will have few opportunities of combining together after Friday's game.

ALTHOUGH the Royal Navy failed to field a team to provide the necessary opposition for the Interport soccer trial yesterday, the South Wales Borderers stepped into the breach to be beaten by six clear goals. The military side had several chances but were too slow. The trial team yesterday proved to be the best combination tried out to date, their defence being excellent. The forward line was easily the best, and the centre-forward position was well-filled by Johnson, of the Police, who worked hard and is the ideal man. He is more energetic than Howe and was always where the ball was.

The two Chinese players, Wong Mei-shun and Suen Kam-shun played extremely well, the former being very dangerous throughout with brilliant long drives which gave Johnson of the Borderers no end of anxiety, and the latter scored a beautiful goal as the result of a sparkling solo effort.

Both the wingers, Gosano and Baldry were also good; the former was starved throughout the game, but whenever he got the ball he placed it with wonderful accuracy into the goal-mouth.

DUNCAN BRILLIANT.

Baldry also played well and was one of the most dangerous of the trial men, his drives and centres being very well-timed.

Duncan and Mullane were the outstanding men on the field, the former was brilliant and was all over the attacking forwards, his spoiling tactics being of the best.

Mullane was easily the best of the backs, his sense of anticipation being amazing. He broke up the majority of the opposing side's attacks.

S. Strange who was supposed to fill the position given to Martin, is still unfit from last Sunday's game and purposely stayed out of yesterday's game so as to be fit for Friday's game against the Rest XI, after which the final selection will be made. Barber, the Lincoln's pivot, was also a notable absentee.

For the Borderers' Podmore shone, his centre half play being a feature of the game. His spoiling tactics were great, and he was a thorn in the trial forwards' attacks.

Rodger as usual was brilliant and kept the invaders out.

EARLY SCORE.

From the start of the game the Borderers took the ball into their opponent's territory, but both Mullane and Martin defended well, the former using his head to advantage. The Borderers continued to press, but their forwards were too well marked to do anything dangerous. Jones in particular being helpless.

Johnson opened the scoring after five minutes play with a very tame shot. Pardoe who had possession of the ball sent in a stiff drive which Johnson in the Borderers' goal fisted away, but JOHNSON, of the opposing eleven, snapped up the ball and lobbed it into the net from close range.

From the resumption the Borderers continued to force the pace, but were helpless whenever they got inside the goal area. Bliss played a great spoiling game, but was not clean in his clearances.

Midway through the half the Probables opened up their game more when Wong Mei-shun neatly took the ball through to tap it to Gosano, but the latter just missed with a terrific drive which went over the bar.

RODGER SAVES.

From the goal kick the play was transferred to the other end where Lakeman attempted a long drive, but it went wide.

A few minutes later the Probables' goal underwent a very near thing when Jones cleverly tapped the ball to Davies who sent in a stinger at point blank range, but Rodger went down on his knees and cleared brilliantly.

Play was then in midfield with both half back lines dilly-dallying with the ball; eventually it came out to Suen Kam-shun, who placed it at Johnson's feet, but the centre forward after neatly evading Morrison and with the goal at his mercy, shot well over the bar.

The Probables' goal underwent another very close shave when Duncan, on the Borderers' left wing, took a first-timer at Rodger. The goalkeeper dived at full length, but could not reach the ball, which however, missed the net by inches for a behind.

Johnson was again nearly through when he raced Williams for the ball from a pass down the centre by Suen Kam-shun, but he was just too late, the soldier reached it first and cleared safely.

SUEN SCORES.

Five minutes from the interval SUEN scored the Probables' second goal with a grand low drive from twenty yards out, which beat Johnson all the way.

Just before the whistle went the Borderers made a concentrated attack, but their finishing was weak, and they invariably cracked up at the last moment.

Probables 2
Borderers 0

The second half opened sensationally, Johnson just missing with a great drive. Soon after he made another attempt, but this time his drive found the cross bar and rebounded into play, Podmore coming back to clear.

Five minutes later BALDRY scored the third goal, beating Johnson with a first-timer after receiving from Duncan. Lakeman made a fine dribble clean through the Probables' defence, but, with only Rodger to beat, he drove the ball past the up-right.

MORGAN'S BAD LUCK.

The Borderers were now doing the majority of the attacking, and Morgan, taking a clearance by Morrison, cut in to send a powerful drive goalwards, Rodger hurried himself at the ball, but was unable

MEDWAY AND BLACK HAWK WIN TWO EVENTS

"Red" Wins 100 In 77 Seconds.

BRITISH POLO SUCCESS.

(By Crawl.)

A good evening's entertainment was provided last night at the Y.M.C.A. when the U.S.S. Black Hawk met the H.M.S. Medway in a series of aquatic events.

The standard of swimming displayed by the sailors was fairly good, the Black Hawk swimmers showing excellent style.

The first event, a medley relay consisting of back stroke, free style, breast stroke and free style was won by the Medway who took first place; the Black Hawk were a close second.

In the second event, the two lengths breast stroke, the Black Hawk were easy winners, taking first and third places, while the Medway took second and fourth.

The 100 Yards free style was a thrilling race from start to finish. The Black Hawk again were victorious, their captain, "Red," swam a great race and spurred in the last 25 yards to win by a touch in 77 seconds.

Although "Red's" time was not up to the local school boy's record of 67 secs., he swam a beautiful race.

The water polo game proved an easy win for the Medway who defeated the Black Hawk by 3 goals to nil in a fast and exciting game.

The Americans were unable to handle the ball correctly and also were weak in passing; they had two scoring opportunities, but bungled both. They have still to learn our rules governing the regulation game; this seemed to be their greatest fault.

The Medway passed and combined well, but will have to buck up considerably to beat the Y.M.C.A. team whom they meet to-night.

Unfortunately the Medway could not provide a diving team to compete against the Americans, who, however, treated the spectators to some spectacular dives.

It was a very enjoyable night altogether.

to reach it; the ball, however, once again evaded the net, and striking the bar went away for Duncan to send it to the other end of the field.

Although the Borderers were attacking for most of the second half, the Probables also had their share of the exchanges, and JOHNSON placed his side another goal up, this time beating his namesake with a terrific drive which beat him all the way.

The Probables forward line was now working with perfect precision, both wingers, Gosano and Baldry, sending over splendid centres. Gosano was the faster of the two wingers, and thus had more time to take over his centres, with the result that they all fell in the goalmouth.

Very soon after Johnson's effort WONG scored a glorious goal when he dribbled in, and, from about twenty-five yards, sent in a terrific drive which curled upwards to beat Johnson easily.

SUEN'S SECOND.

From this stage to the final whistle the Borderers were continually on the attack, but poor finishing on the part of Davies, Jones and Lakeman led them nowhere.

Just before the final whistle went SUEN scored the sixth and last goal with a lovely piece of dribbling, carrying the ball straight into the goalmouth to net easily.

Result:
Probables 6
Borderers 0

Mr. J. W. Baldwin refereed, the teams lining up as follows: Possibles:—Rodger; Mullane and Martin; Bliss, Pardoe and A. Duncan; B. Gosano, Wong Mei-shun, Johnson, Suen Kam-shun and Baldry.

Borderers: Johnson; Williams and Morrison; Morgan, Podmore and Channing; Harris, Lakeman, Davies, Jones, and J. Duncan.

(Teams for Armistice Day on Page 9.)

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FINCHER TAKES SIXTH GAME TO LOVE

Elimination Of "S.A." And Miss Botelho.

MIXED DOUBLES QUARTER-FINALS.

E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel entered the Semi-final round of the Colony Mixed Doubles Championship yesterday when they defeated S. A. Rumjahn and Miss C. Botelho 10-8, 6-3 on the I.R.C. courts.

The match was abandoned on Wednesday evening with the winners leading by 10-8 and 5-3. Fincher yesterday won the deciding game to love on his service. The winners will now meet Capt. Barry and Mrs. Lochner for right of entry into the Final Round.

H. D. Rumjahn and Miss R. Rumjahn and M. W. Lo and Miss Enid Lo are the two other semi-finalist combinations.

YACHTING

Official Opening On Saturday.

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club will officially open the 1932-1933 Season with a Regatta on Saturday and there is every prospect of a very bright season.

There will be a Cruiser race starting from Murray Pier at 2 p.m. and finishing at the Club House.

The usual Ladies Races for the "H," "I," "Y," and "G" classes start from the Club line from 3 p.m. onwards, and a race for the new "A" class boats with owners at the tillers will be held.

Rowing events have been arranged for Fours, Pairs, and Sculls and there will also be a race for Naval Whalers.

A Lawn Bowls game will be played during the afternoon and a Fencing exhibition will be given by members of the Hong Kong Fencing Club.

Tea will be provided as usual, and it is hoped that there will be a large number of Members, Subscribers and their friends present. Officers of the Navy, Army and Air Force are invited to consider themselves as Honorary Members for the day.

The Yacht Club fleet this year is the largest on record viz.—thirty four boats in the racing classes and twenty four cruisers. There are many new names in the list of owners which are drawn from both the list of Members and Subscribers.

MILITARY HOCKEY TEAMS DRAW.

Two Mamak Shield Matches.

REED FOILS "Y" ATTACK.

[By CENTRE HALF.]

In a Mamak Tournament match yesterday afternoon, the R.A.S.C. played a drawn game with the R.A.M.C., neither side scoring.

The Service Corps were without Funnell and Tipple, but nevertheless had a good share of the game, and were unlucky not to win.

TAMAR WIN.

The 8th Destroyer Flotilla made their debut in the Mamak Tournament at King's Park yesterday afternoon, but were not impressive, losing to H.M.S. Tamar by the odd goal in three in an evenly contested game.

Spone, at centre-forward netted both points for the Tamar while Sleane replied for the Destroyers.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

Table To Date.

	P.W.	L.D.	F.A.	Pts.
St. Andrew's	7	6	1	0 22
1st Bty. H.K.S.	6	5	0	1 20
Radio	5	5	0	0 23
Incognitos	5	5	0	0 20
R.A.S.C.	4	4	1	9 15
R. C. Signals	6	4	2	0 23
R.E.	7	4	3	0 9
Police	4	3	0	1 10
University	5	3	2	0 12
12th R.A.	3	2	0	1 7
Phoenix	6	2	3	1 12
Medway	2	2	0	0 9
Wishart	2	2	0	0 4
Veteran	5	2	3	0 4
Parthian	3	1	2	0 5
24th R.A.	4	1	3	0 5
Tamar	5	1	4	0 8
R.A.M.C.	5	1	4	1 11
20th R.A.	3	0	3	0 2
R.A.O.C.	3	0	3	0 0
K.I.T.C.	5	0	5	0 3
German Club	5	0	5	0 2
8th Destroyers	1	0	1	0 2

REED REVEALS FORMER BRILLIANCE.

Recreio Draw.

In a very evenly contested match at King's Park yesterday afternoon, the Y.M.C.A. first eleven drew with a strong Club de Recreio side, each team scoring once.

C. Barros gave the Recreio the lead early in the first half with a fast first-timer, but D. McCallar equalised for the "Y" in the second half from a corner hit.

The outstanding player on the field was W. Reed, the Recreio centre-half. He played a dazzling game, his stick-work being amazing. E. O. Murphy, at back for the "Y" was good, and McLellan, though working hard throughout, indulged too frequently in the scoop pass.

ARTILLERY DRAW.

At Sookunpoo yesterday afternoon, the Kowloon Indians played a goalless draw with the R.A. in a friendly hockey match.



SPORT PAGE



CITY OF MELBOURNE FOR MACAO

WORKABLE STAG SHOULD WIN HIS EVENT

NEW KING MAY AGAIN SURPRISE

SMALL FIELD ENTERED FOR THE LADIES' SCRAMBLE.

(By Ajax.)

An excellent programme has been arranged for the forthcoming Fifth Extra Race Meeting of the Macao Jockey Club to be held on Sunday next. Seven events are on the list, which includes one Unofficial Race, The Ladies' Scramble, a seven furlong race, which has attracted seven entries including some very fair ponies.

An Australian ponies' race is also on the card, and should provide the best race of the day in spite of the small field of six entries.

The turf is in excellent condition and times should be good, and a large crowd is expected.

The first event on the card is the Huang Ho Handicap, a six furlong race with seven entries. Guiding Star appears to be the best thing in the book, and is carrying three pounds less than Prestwick, which will probably be a non-starter, as he is entered in the Ladies' Scramble. Whitehall looks good enough for a place.

City of Melbourne, who caused a sensation at the Valley recently, when Mr. A. L. Caplan entered the paddock with his silks spotted with blood, is quite fit again, and will probably put in an appearance in the Sydney Handicap, but it is carrying the undesirable top weight of 168 lbs. Joaquin, who is carrying only 143 lbs, looks a pretty good thing for the event, but City of Melbourne who won at the meeting before last, when carrying 176 lbs., can be depended upon to put up a strong challenge. There are six entries, and one must not lose sight of Anniversary Eve. The race should prove to be a very open one.

WORKABLE STAG FAVOURED.
The Chu Kiang Handicap has attracted a number of really good ponies, outstanding among them being Mon Talisman, Workable Stag and Kate. The Stag pony did not impress at last Saturday's meeting at Happy Valley, when ridden by Mr. L. R. E. Tuxford in the Novices' race, but I think he will have but little difficulty in romping home the winner of his event on Sunday.

In the Chien Tang Handicap, once round the course, Venturous looks a certainty, with Pocahontas looming big in the background. There is a big field of 16 entries for the race, and includes Snappy Eve, a pony worth while watching. Venturous has won at the last two Macao meetings, and, although in a differ-

ent class of ponies this time, will certainly carry a large sum of money. He will be carrying a favourable weight of 152 lbs. and will probably be ridden by Mr. S. Y. Liang.

Another large field will be seen in the seven furlong race, the Yangtze Handicap. Twenty entries have been received and it looks as though a little upset might occur, as the official handicapper has certainly done his work well. Gallant Fox is the best thing for the event, on present form, having taken the second place at the last two meetings, but in view of the upset at the last meeting but one, and the minor sensation of his defeat by Whoopee, are advised to go cautiously. Whoopee will again be running and is carrying only 152 lbs. against Gallant Fox's 159 lbs. Valley Hall, who might obtain a place is also carrying 159 lbs.

NEW KING FOR A SURPRISE?

The sixth race of the day, the Whangpoo Handicap, will see New King in the field again, but it is extremely doubtful if he can bring off another surprise as he did at the last meeting when, ridden by Mr. Caplan, he paid a dividend of \$108. Tien Feng Shan is the probable winner if he starts. There are only seven ponies entered for the race.

The Ladies' Scramble, the unofficial race on the programme, is the last race of the day, and appears to be a stable money either for Estrellita or Prestwick. Until then may offer a little opposition, but judging from recent form it is doubtful whether he can win.

MOVANAGHER, once a well-known pony at the Valley, was out for an exercise this morning, and provided a tractive mount for Lt. Prior, the Army rugger forward. The jockey managed to get into the saddle after a sheet had been thrown over the pony's head, but after a few minutes round the course, Movanager appeared to go lame and had to be led in. Movanager, who formerly belonged to Mr. Richardson, took third place in the Valley Stakes after being hot favourite for the event at the 1928 annual meeting, when ridden by Mr. Haimovitch, the Shanghai jockey.

Leading China Pony Owners

The following are the leading owners of China ponies for the current season to date:

OWNER	1	2	3
L. Dunbar	17	3	5
H. S. Chan	13	2	7
Li and Lie	9	11	6
Samson	8	8	7
Mrs. Dunbar	8	7	4
Dynasty	8	7	4
A. M. L. Soares	7	4	6
Hall and Shenton	6	6	8
L. Reidy	6	5	7
Helmsdale	6	0	1
L. T. F.	5	12	14
Kong Bros.	5	3	9
Swatow and Pakhoi	5	0	4
Tally Ho	4	4	4
Dunbar and Reidy	4	1	0
Lowcock and Lee	3	5	0
Wang and Li	3	5	0
D. J. Lewis	3	2	2
Bellamy and Gordon	2	4	4
E. L. Hosie	2	4	1
Y. T. Fung	2	8	4
K. H. Kay	2	2	3
Parkson Chan	2	0	4
Peter Young	2	0	2
Albert	2	0	1
Testor and Abraham	1	5	3
Low and Tinson	1	4	2
Stanton	1	4	2
Eve	1	3	5
Valley	1	3	4
Mackie and Grayburn	1	3	2
C. C. C.	1	3	0
Rustie	1	3	0
Hau Un	1	2	4
Roda	1	2	2
B. D. F. Beith	1	2	2

OWNER	1	2	3
Rain	1	2	3
Mrs. S. A. Lopez	1	2	1
Griet and Beck	1	1	4
Mrs. A. M. L. Soares	1	1	2
Chan Tin Son	1	1	1
Jacque	1	1	1
P. V. B.	1	1	1
A. V. H. and G. P. L.	1	1	1
Ferrajolo	1	1	0
Kangaroo	1	1	0
Dalrem	1	1	0
Yam Man	1	0	1
Brish	1	0	0
Prince	1	0	0
Keith-Murray	1	0	0
A. A. R. B.	1	0	0
S. A. Lopez	1	0	0
H. Wiele	1	0	0
Heard	1	0	2
Seth	1	0	1
B. S. Y.	1	0	2
T. P. T.	1	0	2
Wop Lai Tin	1	0	3
Harriman	1	0	1
Wang Ping Shun	1	0	1
Harbot	1	0	1
Lan	1	0	1
Atch Aitch	1	0	1
Miss Pearson	1	0	1
Dr. So To Wong	1	0	1
P. S.	1	0	1
J. S. Palmer	1	0	2
Roza and Edgar	1	0	1
Lo and Liang	1	0	1
Bumble	1	0	1
Festival	1	0	1
A. H. Carroll	1	0	1

MORNING GALLOPS VERY SLACK

Navy Hall Accomplishes Best Performance.

NEW PONIES ARRIVING ON NOVEMBER 20.

Nothing outstanding in times was returned during the gallops at Happy Valley this morning, although many ponies were out. Navy Hall, who figured in the Hong Kong St. Leger last Saturday, accomplished the best time of the morning, clocking a mile in 2 minutes 13 seconds.

MR. Peter Young's Buchanan had a slight limp when out at the Valley for a gallop this morning.

Flying Tourist, another pony out for exercise, was "well-dressed," wearing a couple of blankets, and a hood. Mr. Harriman, in the saddle, went round the course a few times, but attempted nothing strenuous.

MR. LEO FROST'S win on Mr. B. D. F. Beith's Adam, last Saturday, brings back memories of the days when the Jardine stable was a force to reckon with on the Hong Kong turf. It is interesting to note that this is the first win for about four years for a pony from the Jardine stable, and takes us back to the days when the Jardine taipan, Mr. James John Johnson, was a familiar figure on the Valley course. That is about seven years ago, and Mr. Johnson was considered one of the finest jockeys in China in his time. As far back as 1850 we can trace the name of R. Jardine as a successful jockey, and it is good to see that the prestige of the stable is still being maintained.

THE Jockey Club are expecting a batch of 40 China ponies in the Colony on November 20. They will be the first of a batch of 80 which were ordered some while back, and which have been held up by floods, suspensions of railway services and the disturbed state of the country. The first batch are expected to reach Shanghai on Saturday, while the second batch are still in Hailar, where they have been held up since August.

AUSTRALIAN PONIES

Valley Records For Season To Date.

POLAR STAR'S RISE.

The following are the complete records to date of all Australian ponies which have been entered for Race Meetings at Happy Valley during the 1932 season, which commenced on February 20:

	1st	2nd	3rd	Un.
Woodland Stag	5	3	1	0
Polar Star	3	2	2	0
Lucy Glitters	2	3	3	5
Friar Tuck	2	1	4	5
Wotin	2	1	2	4
The Giraffe	2	1	1	6
But After That	2	1	1	8
Sunlight	2	0	0	8
Kilrea	2	0	0	8
Manna	1	2	1	7
Anniversary Eve	1	2	7	7
City of Melbourne	1	1	7	7
Joaquin	1	1	1	12
Zadderdary	1	1	0	2
Changate	1	0	0	0
Fred	1	0	0	1
Merrmaid	1	0	2	6
The Rainbow	0	3	0	0
Evening Star	0	2	2	2
The Rainstorm	0	2	1	11
Westland Stag	0	1	2	4
The Balndrop	0	1	1	5
Canny	0	1	1	7
Aurora	0	1	0	7
Choy Pak	0	1	0	8
Tin Tac	0	1	0	11
Gold Digger	0	0	3	9
Talping	0	0	1	7
Canfield	0	0	0	1
Etzel	0	0	0	1
Fritz	0	0	0	1
Koh-Noor	0	0	0	1
Pegasus	0	0	0	1
Robertbridge	0	0	0	1
Rosedrop	0	0	0	1
Silver Star	0	0	0	1
Thunderclap	0	0	0	2
St. Morris	0	0	0	2
Moan Star	0	0	0	2
Patricia Hall	0	0	0	2
Salaam	0	0	0	2
The Woodcock	0	0	0	2
Calamity Jane	0	0	0	2
Yaraman	0	0	0	2
Ben Hur	0	0	0	3
Gold Rush	0	0	0	3
Miss Jimmy	0	0	0	4
Vesta	0	0	0	4
Retha	0	0	0	5
Palaverer	0	0	0	6
Snoritta	0	0	0	6
The Wigdon	0	0	0	6
Lung Mul	0	0	0	7
The Baron	0	0	0	7

JOCKEY RECORDS TO DATE

Leo Frost Easily Leads Way.

S. N. PAN SECOND.

The following is the complete record to date for every jockey who has taken part in the 1932 season's Race Meetings at Happy Valley, since the Annual Meeting, which commenced on February 20:

	1st	2nd	3rd	Un.	Ttl.
L. G. Frost	44	25	22	56	147
S. N. Pan	17	11	8	36	72
E. O. Butler	9	11	16	89	125
A. W. de Roza	9	9	11	74	103
G. U. de Roza	9	9	11	58	84
Ip Kui-ying	8	10	6	45	69
W. Hill	8	1	0	4	13
L. Reidy	6	3	3	16	28
D. S. Li	5	5	7	21	38
A. F. Clark	5	5	7	23	40
A. A. R. Botelho	5	5	6	79	95
B. A. Proulx	5	4	9	68	86
M. L. Soares	5	4	4	39	52
G. A. Harrigan	4	1	1	74	85
W. L. McCann	4	2	1	24	31
T. Y. Tung	3	8	3	24	38
Y. T. Fung	3	4	6	60	73
F. Nooit	3	4	5	31	43
T. L. Quincey	3	3	1	13	20
T. L. Wong	3	1	4	19	27
S. Y. Liang	2	9	5	81	97
A. J. P. Heard	2	7	4	34	47
R. H. Charles	2	6	8	51	67
A. N. Dallas	2	4	3	24	33
J. E. Noronha	2	3	3	61	69
R. Corbett	2	2	2	27	33
H. P. Chanson	2	2	1	16	21
W. W. Pan	2	1	1	3	7
W. T. Stanton	1	2	0	28	31
L. R. B. Tuxford	1	1	3	16	21
H. H. Charsley	1	2	9	13	25
R. A. Carroll	1	2	6	67	76
R. Young	1	0	3	5	9
J. Palmer	1	0	1	13	14
J. J. Roche	1	0	5	29	35
D. Black	1	0	3	42	46
K. C. Liang	1	0	2	3	6
H. D. Benham	1	0	0	33	34
W. W. Miles	1	0	2	39	42
A. L. Caplan	1	0	2	30	33
S. K. Wong	1	0	1	3	5
Yue Shun-wa	1	0	1	2	4
W. H. Chey	1	0	1	17	18
W. G. Fischer	1	0	1	17	18
H. A. de B. Botelho	1	0	1	34	35
A. F. Ingram	1	0	1	3	4
T. P. K. Kemble	1	0	1	14	15
Lord Beresford	1	0	0	1	1
Capt. J. C. Cock	1	0	0	1	1
Burn	0	0	0	1	1
Lo C. Hin	0	0	0	1	1
Lt. Keith Murray	0	0	0	1	1
T. C. T. Beck	0	0	0	2	2
A. Gordon	0	0	0	2	2
F. J. Palmer	0	0	0	2	2
M. C. Tang	0	0	0	2	2
H. P. Wong	0	0	0	2	2
H. F. Pao	0	0	0	2	2
J. Barrow	0	0	0	2	2
Chan Wai-yan	0	0	0	2	2
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S. C. Chang	0	0	0	6	6
A. M. L. Soares	0	0	0	6	6
H. V. Pearce	0	0	0	6	6
Capt. T. A. H. Coll-	0	0	0	7	7
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Manna (158), City of Melbourne (168), Joaquin (143), Anniversary Eve (140), Kilrea (160), Tin Tac (146).

3rd Race The Chu Kiang Handicap One Mile.

Ajax (152), Alexandra Hall (145), Deveron (154), Gold Mine (144), Golden Star (140), Kate (140), Mon Talisman (152), Punch (144), Tommy Boy (140), Workable Stag (168).

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Buchanan (140), Cabinet Hall (149), Cebu (146), Empress Hall (142), Lobster Bay (160), Orlando (142), Pocahontas (149), Powerful King (154), The Gadwall (154), The Plover (160), Royal Plush (149), Venturous (152), Wakefield (158),



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The End Of The Party.

BY GRAHAM GREENE

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They flew too quickly to plan any evasion, or even to prepare his heart for the coming ordeal. Panic nearly overcame him when, all unready, he found himself standing on the door-step, with a cold wind, and the nurse's electric torch making a short, luminous trail through the darkness. Behind him were the lights of the hall and the sound of a servant laying the table for dinner, which his mother and father would eat alone. He was nearly overcome by a desire to run back into the house and call out to his mother that he would not go to the party, that he dared not go. They could not make him go. Almost he could hear himself saying those final words, breaking down for ever, as he knew instinctively, the barrier of ignorance that saved his mind from his parents' knowledge. "I'm afraid of going. I won't go. I dare not go. They'll make me hide in the dark, and I'm afraid of the dark. I'll scream and scream and scream." He could see the expression of amazement on his mother's face, and then the cold confidence of a grown-up's report. "Don't be silly. You must go. We've accepted Mrs. Henne-Falcon's invitation." But they couldn't make him go; hesitating on the door-step while the nurse's feet crunched across the frost-covered grass to the gate, he knew that. "He would answer: 'You can say I'm ill. I won't go. I won't go. I'm afraid of the dark.' And his mother: 'Don't be silly. You know there's nothing to be afraid of in the dark.' But he knew the falsity of that reasoning; he knew how they taught him that there was nothing to be afraid of, and how they pushed and fought and covered to avoid it. But they couldn't make him go to the party. 'I'll scream. I'll scream.' "Francis, come along." He heard the nurse's voice across the black, dimly phosphorescent lawn, and saw the small yellow circle of her torch wheel from tree to shrub and back to tree again. "I'm coming," he called with despair, and left the lighted doorway of the house, for he could not bring himself to lay bare his last secrets and end reserve between his mother and himself.

And there was still in the last resort a further appeal possible to Mrs. Henne-Falcon. He comforted himself with that, as he advanced steadily across the hall, very small, towards her enormous bulk. His heart went unevenly, but he had control now over his voice, as he said with meticulous accent, "Good evening, Mrs. Henne-Falcon. It was very good of you to ask me to your party." With his strained face lifted towards the curve of her breasts, and his polite, set speech, he was like an old, withered man. For Francis mingled little with other children. As a twin he was in many ways an only child. To address Peter was to speak to his own image in a mirror, an image a little altered by a flaw in the glass, so as to throw back less a likeness of what he was than of what he wished to be, what he would be without his unreasoning fear of darkness, footsteps of strangers, the flight of bats in dusk-filled gardens. "Sweet child," said Mrs. Henne-Falcon absently before, with a wave of her arms, as though the children were a flock of chickens, she whirled them into her set programme of entertainments, egg-and-spoon races, three-legged races, the spearing of apples, games which held for Francis nothing worse than humiliation. And in the frequent intervals when nothing was required of him and he could stand alone in corners as far removed as possible from Mabel Warren's scornful gaze, he was able to plan how he might avoid the approaching terror of the dark. There was nothing, he knew, to fear until after tea, and not until he was sitting down in a pool of yellow radiance cast by the ten candles in the hall. We will turn out at all this lights. Yes, you can hide in cupboards. You must stay hidden as long as you can. There will be no home."

Peter, too stood apart, ashamed of the clumsy manner in which he had tried to help his brother. Now he could feel, creeping in at the corners of his brain, as Francis's resentment of his championing. Several children ran upstairs, and the lights on the top floor went out. Then darkness came.

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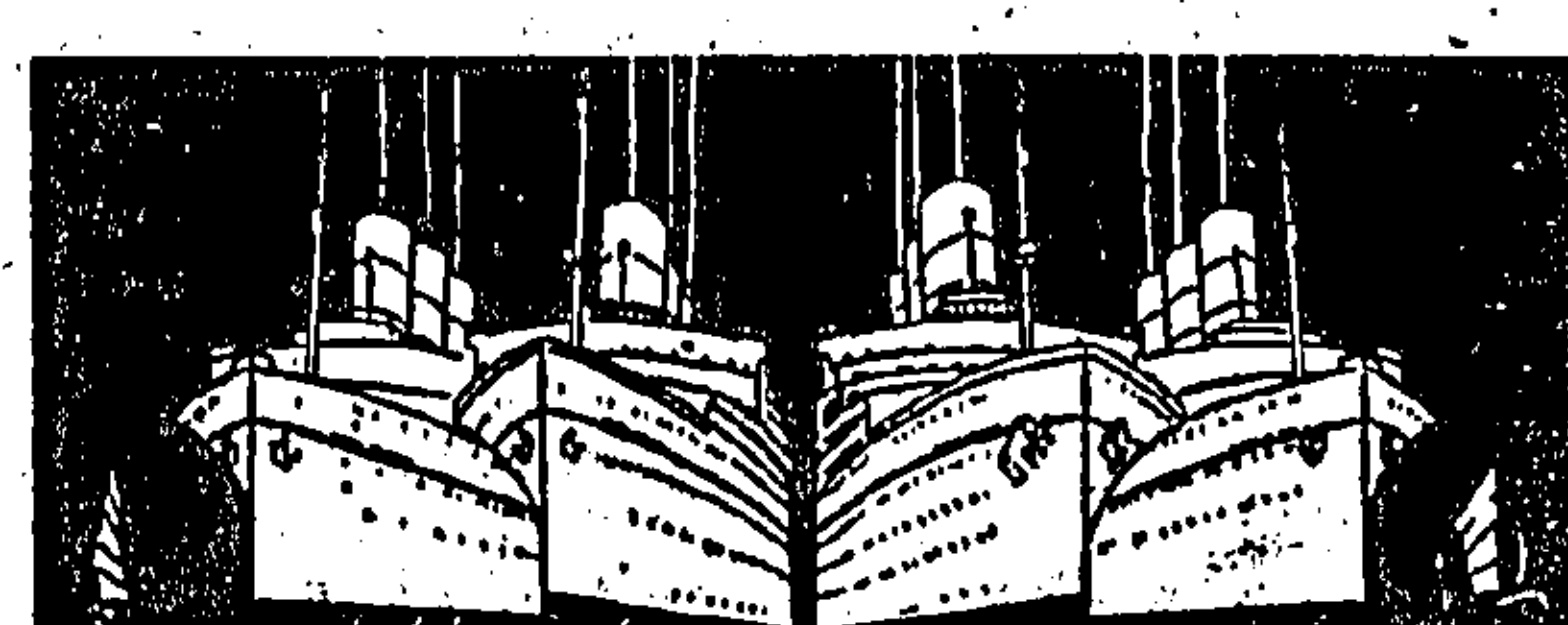
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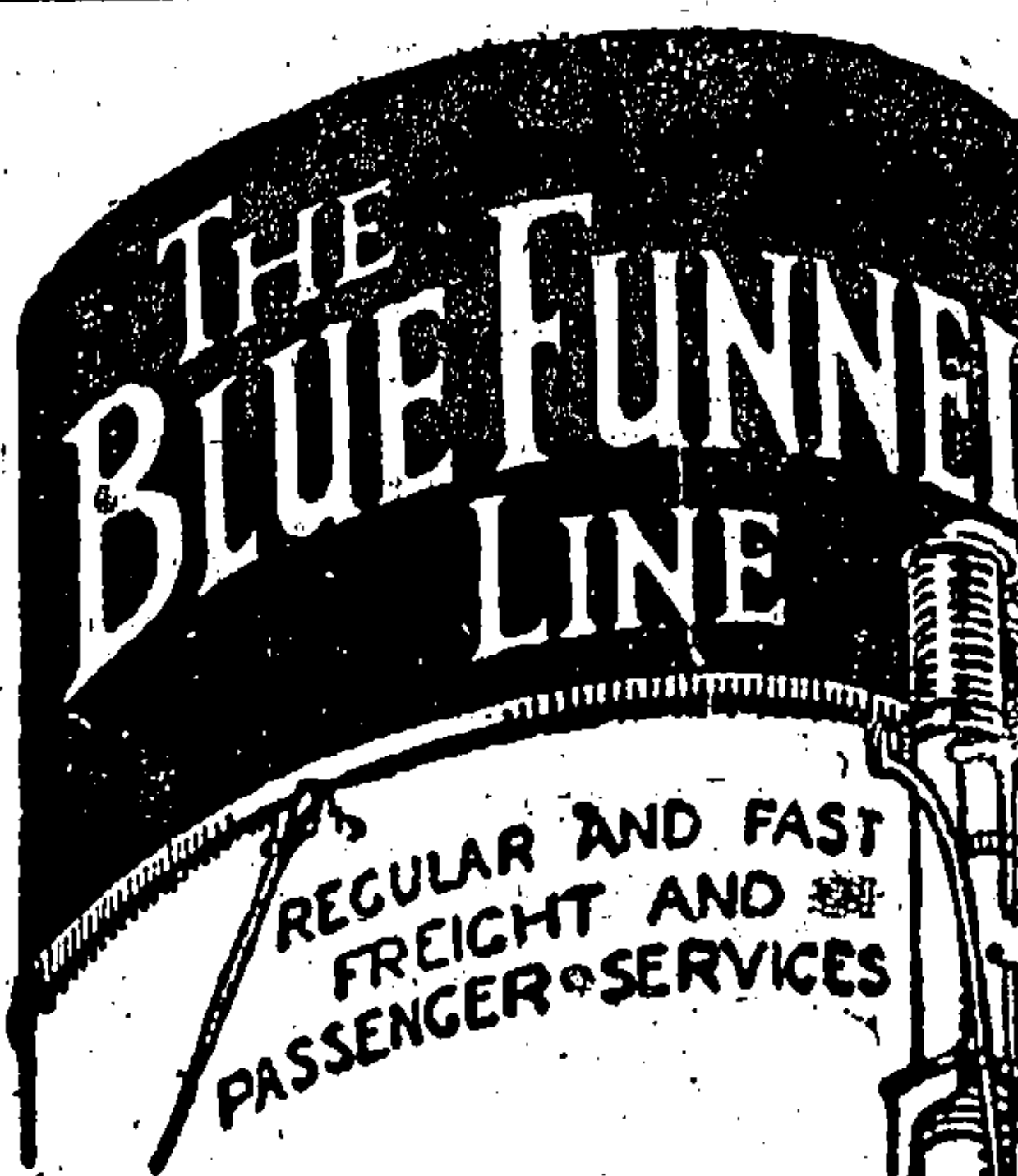
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The End Of The Party.

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down like the wings of a bat and settled on the landing. Others began to put out the lights at the edge of the hall, till the children were all gathered in the single central radiance of the chandelier, while the bats squatted round on hooded wings and waited for that, too, to be extinguished.

"You and Francis are on the hiding side," a tall girl said, and then the light was gone, and the carpet wavered under his feet with the shibboleth of footfalls, like small, cold draughts, creeping away into corners.

"Where is Francis?" he wondered. "If I join him he will be less frightened of all these sounds." "These sounds" were the casing of silence. The squeak of a loose board, the cautious closing of a cupboard door, the whine of a finger drawn along polished wood.

Peter stood in the centre of the dark deserted floor, not listening, but waiting for the idea of his brother's whereabouts to enter his brain. But Francis crouched with fingers on his ears, eyes uselessly closed, mind numbed against impressions, and only a sense of strain could cross the gap of dark. Then a voice called "Coming," and, as though his brother's self-possession had been shattered by the sudden cry, Peter Morton jumped with his fear. But it was not his own fear.

What in his brother was a burning panic, that admitted no ideas except those which ministered to the flame, was in him an altruistic emotion that left the reason unimpaired. "Where, if I were Francis, should I hide?" Such, roughly was his thought. And because he was, if not Francis himself, at least a mirror to him, the answer was immediate. "Between the oak bookcase, on the left of the study door, and the leather settee." Peter Morton was unsurprised by the swiftness of the response. Between the twins there could be no jargon of telepathy. They had been together in the womb, and they could not now be parted.

Peter Morton tiptoed towards Francis's hiding place. Occasionally a board rattled, and because he feared to be caught by one of the soft, quiet steps through the dark, he bent and untied his laces. A tag struck the floor, and the metallic sound set a host of cautious feet moving in his direction. But by that time he was in his stockings and would have laughed inwardly at the pursuit had not the noise of someone stumbling on his abandoned shoes made his heart trip in the reflection of another's surprise. No more boards revealed Peter Morton's progress.

On stockings feet he moved silently and unerringly towards his object. Instantly he was near the door, on wall, and extending a hand, he laid his fingers across his brother's face.

Francis did not cry out, but the leap of his own heart revealed to Peter a proportion of Francis's terror. "It's

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Shanghai	Shanghai	Manila
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Salgon	Salgon	Amoy
		Europe via Negapatam (Letters only London, November 13)
		Japan

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*Straits Aden and *Europe via Marseilles	Idomeneus (Due Marseilles, December 8).	
K.P.O.	G.P.O.	
Registrations	Registrations	
Letters	Letters	
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Angkor	
Straits, Ceylon, India Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi	Conte Verde (Due Brindisi, December 1).	
Registrations	Registrations	
Letters	Letters	
Bangkok	Michael Jeeben	
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Formosa	Panama Maru	
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The monthly return of the Island Water Works for the month of October this year, shows a decrease of 57.9 millions of gallons in the total storage, as compared with last year's figures for the same month. The total storage is 2,040.94 this year, as against 2,098.88 for October last year.

With an estimated population of 384,250, the consumption of gallons per head per day was 31.5, as against an average of 32.3 for October last year, with an estimated population of 381,250.

The Mainland Water Works returns for October show a total storage of 627.44 millions of gallons as compared with 665.92 last year, a decrease of 38.50.

With an increase in the estimated population from 291,900 last year to 305,700 in October this year, the average consumption increased 1.6 per head, from 17.6 to 19.2.

A constant supply throughout the hill and high level districts was given during the month, excepting those houses where connections to rider mains have already been cut off. A constant supply was maintained in Kowloon.

During October 87.255 inches of rainfall was recorded at the Royal Observatory as compared with 74.87 last year.

ARRIVALS OF SHIPS.

Sunday, November 6.
Halvdan, Norwegian str., 761 tons, Capt. Roscholdt, from Bangkok, buoy No. C3.—Thorsen & Co.
Kut Sang, British str., 3,643 tons, Capt. F. Mooney, from Amoy, buoy No. B1.—J.M. & Co.
Phasiannella, British str., 393 tons, Capt. J. Y. Lee, from Tamsui, Talkotsui Anchorage.—A.P.C.
Planorbis, British str., 3,408 tons, Capt. W. Fretwell, from Balikpapan, North Point Wharf.—A.P.C.

Monday, November 7.
Atagosa, Japanese str., 2,487 tons, Capt. S. Imai, from Miki, buoy No. A12.—M.B.K.
Beneruachan, British str., 3,750 tons, Capt. Riddle, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.
Chengtu, British str., 1,338 tons, Captain W. J. King, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.
City of Lille, British str., 4,052 tons, Capt. H. Parry, from Hilo, Holt's Wharf.—Bank Line.

Daviken, Norwegian str., 1,775 tons, Capt. G. Svane, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J.M. & Co.
Halvard, British str., 1,217 tons, Capt. A. Hall, from Saigon, buoy No. B13.—Wo Fat Sing.
Kueichow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. E. H. Histed, from Canton, buoy No. C5.—B. & S.
Kiungchow, British str., 1,646 tons, Capt. J. S. Anderson, from Canton, buoy B15.—B. & S.

Kwangtung, British str., 1,572 tons, Capt. J. H. Hodgkies, from Swatow, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.
Mannawill, American str., 4,580 tons, Capt. P. F. Johnson, from Osaka, buoy No. A6.—States S.S. Co.

Muinan, Danish str., 1,739 tons, Capt. V. L. Relster, from Swatow, buoy No. A5.—John Manners & Co.

New Mathilde, British str., 842 tons, Capt. R. Mitchell, from Canton, buoy No. B10.—Yik Tai & Co.

Pong Tong, British str., 1,001 tons, Capt. R. E. Freckelton, from Saigon, buoy No. B7.—Sheung Lee & Co.

President Jackson, American str., 3,877 tons, Capt. J. Griffith, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar Line.

Soochow, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. H. Gifford, from Canton, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

CLEARANCES.

Monday, November 7.

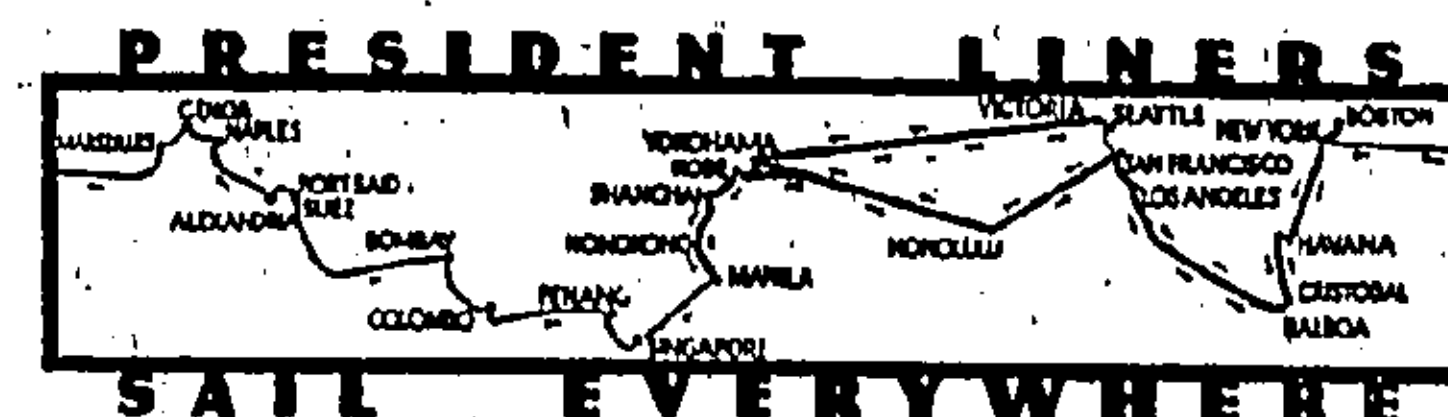
Chekiang, for Shanghai.
Chengtu, for Canton.
Hirundo, for Swatow.
Hydrangea, for Swatow.
Kiungchow, for Pakhol.
Kwanchow, for Swatow.

Lyeemoo, for Swatow.
Phasiannella, for Amoy.
Taiyo Maru, for Manila.

Tanda, for Shanghai.
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Tsinan, for Canton.



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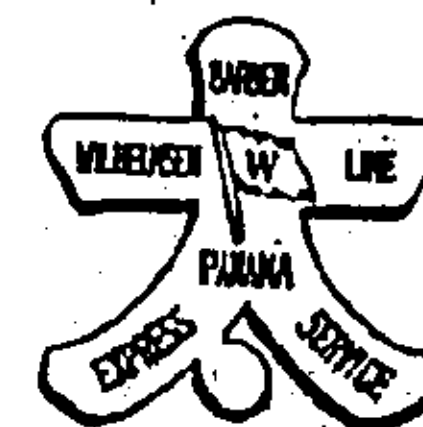
Pres. McKinley Nov. 15	Pres. Jefferson Dec. 17
Pres. Cleveland Nov. 19	Pres. Monroe Dec. 24
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leading in three seats only, having 20 electoral votes. The candidates are running neck and neck in Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

Three hours after the first report this second summary said: Governor Roosevelt is now leading in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Oklahoma, Texas, Missouri, Maryland, Tennessee, Nebraska and South Carolina.

Governor Roosevelt and President Hoover are neck and neck in Kansas, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Colorado. President Hoover is leading in New Hampshire and Rhode Island.

The States favouring Governor Roosevelt up to now carry 113 votes of the Electoral College. Those favouring President Hoover carry eight votes.

The four States in which the pair are neck and neck account for 68 electoral college votes.

New York Solid.
At 7 p.m., Governor Roosevelt was leading also in Virginia, and Arkansas and was slightly to the fore in Massachusetts and Kansas, and also New York State, thanks to heavy Democratic majorities in New York City. President Hoover is leading only

in Vermont, South Dakota, Connecticut, and New Hampshire and Rhode Island, as reported earlier.

The wedding will shortly take place between Mr. Hubert Gladstone Williams, of Messrs. Dodwell and Co., and Miss Zae Leck, of 1, Saifee Terrace, Kowloon.

MESSAGE OF THANKS FROM U.S. FLEET.

"Delightful Stay In Hong Kong."

A message has been received by the British naval vessels in Hong Kong from the Senior Officer of the U.S. Destroyer Squadron, who on behalf of his officers and men, expresses thanks for the hospitality shown to the Squadron while in Hong Kong.

Addressed to all British ships present, the message reads: "Best wishes of the Commanding Officers and men of Destroyer Squadron 5. Our stay at Hong Kong has been most delightful due to your many courtesies and hospitality. Anticipating meeting you again very soon."

Moderate, Fair.

The Royal Observatory's weather report for to-day states:—

The anti-cyclone is centred over S. Japan, and has weakened.

The typhoon is situated about 500 miles E.S.E. of Manila, moving N.W.

Forecast:—N.E. winds, moderate; fair.

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